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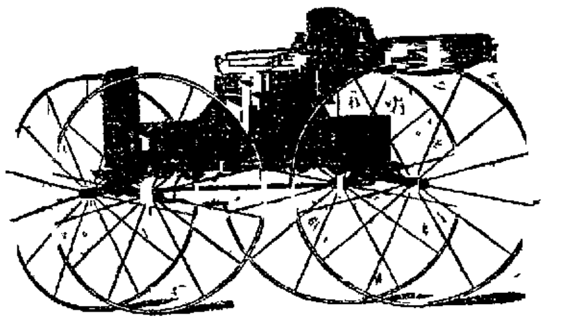

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REAGAN ON THE BLAIR BILL

Senators Finding Out That Secret Sessions Are Not Secret.

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Western Men Satisfied With the Senate Silver Bill—Another West Virginia Contest Pending in the House

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—[OREGONIAN office corner Fourteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue.]—By a strict party vote to-day the house committee on territories decided to report favorably the bill admitting Idaho. Although Delegate Dubois has a letter from Springer in which he guarantees the Idaho representative his hearty support, he and the democrats on the committee will submit a minority report against not only Idaho but Wyoming. Springer insists on his omnibus bill admitting these territories and Arizona and New Mexico at the same time. His bill provides for enabling acts only, while the Idaho and Wyoming bills admit upon the constitutions already adopted. Springer stated that the admission of these as states would mean two more for the republicans and he wanted them offset by democratic Arizona and New Mexico. Delegate Joseph of New Mexico appeared before the committee on territories for the first time to-day to urge his territory's admission, while Smith of Arizona has not said a word. Both have admission bills pending. To-day while Senator Ingalls was speaking about the important legislation that was being kept back by the Blair educational bill he referred to the bills admitting Idaho and Wyoming as among the most pressing. As soon as those bills can be taken up by the senate they will be passed. Delegate Dubois expects to get some democratic support for his Idaho bill notwithstanding that Springer objects to the Mormon clause in the constitution of Idaho, which is similar to the "test oath" recently upheld by the United States supreme court. It is thought that the democrats in the house will not follow Springer in his fight for Mormonism.

Dolph's committee appointed to investigate the method by which the news of the senate's executive sessions becomes public resumed its sitting this afternoon and began questioning newspaper men as to the sources of information. The committee are beginning to discover that newspaper correspondents are not the only ones who are aware of what occurs in executive session. A witness to-day testified that it was a frequent custom for prominent men whose nominations were being contested to establish themselves in committee rooms near at hand in order to receive information from time to time of how the fight was progressing behind closed doors. The day the Morgan nomination was up he had seen the present commissioner of Indian affairs around the senate and had no doubt Morgan knew what was going on. The query now is: How do these men receive their information, and if they should be kept posted why not the public also?

Frank Hatton, editor of the *Post*, was asked what his instructions to reporters were. He replied: "To get everything going on, and if they are very successful they get their salaries raised."

A special meeting of the senate committee on rules was held to-day to consider Teller's resolution offered last spring providing for consideration of nominations in open or legislative sessions. On the question, "Shall the rules of the senate be changed?" there was a tie vote. Teller's resolution did not meet with the approval of any member of the committee. Aldrich and Blackburn, however, favor a modification of the present rules to the effect that nominations be considered in open session unless the committee reporting them shall ask their consideration in executive session, or that a statement of the action of the senate in such executive session be furnished for publication.

The house committee on agriculture to-day continued its hearing of persons interested in the bill for the regulation and taxation of lard compound. A representative of N. K. Fairbanks, the largest manufacturer, claimed that congress has no power to make such a law, as the compound is plainly branded as such and is not deleterious to health. The result of the agitation was to curtail the export demand for American lard and unjustly give it a bad reputation. The lard export last year fell off 50,000,000 pounds. The proposed legislation was in the interest of a rival firm in Boston. Under existing conditions foreigners could buy crude lard in this country, ship it abroad, adulterate it and undersell American compound lard. John M. Oliver, attorney for Fairbanks, asserted that the proposed legislation would destroy the business of manufacturers of lard compounds to the delight of makers of prime steam lard. Adjourned until Friday.

The urgent deficiency bill is completed. It makes a total appropriation of [illegible], of which [illegible] is an appropriation to pay two and three year volunteers bounty, commutations, rations and horse claims. Other items of importance: For public buildings $76,000; internal revenue $110,000; collecting customs revenues $18,000; soldiers' homes, $70,000; patent offices $30,000; land office clerks $25,000; surveys $[illegible]0,000; Indian supplies $50,000; for survivors and widows of soldiers of the Mexican war and war of 1812, $21,593,831; artificial limbs $60,000; United States courts, witness fees $250,000. Under the head of naval establishment the bill provides that the expenses incurred in the purchase, shipment and discharge of coal at Pago Pago, Samoa, $16,041, be paid from the appropriation of $100,000 for establishing the station made last year.

Senator Edmunds of Vermont met Colonel Sanders of Montana in the lower corridors of the capitol, and the latter wanted to buttonhole the venerable Vermonter. Edmunds was in a hurry, and he raised his hat and said: "Rest in peace, brother; it will be all right," and a smile spread over the face of the Montana man. As the time approaches for the second meeting of the senate committee on elections it seems apparent that the republican claimants will be seated.

The special house committee on the world's fair met this morning to begin the consideration of the second stage of its work—the completion of bills. After hearing a statement from Hitt as to Chicago's wishes in the matter the sub-committee was instructed to draft a bill in accordance therewith.

Representative Wilson has succeeded in getting the postoffice department to send out the best inspector in the postal service to go to Washington and examine the present mail system and the mail connections with Eastern Washington. It is expected that upon the inspector's report the mail service of that state will be materially improved.

Senators Dolph and Mitchell to-day presented memorials from the board of trade of Portland, Or., asking that Port Angeles, Wash., be made a subport of entry. A bill was once passed to that effect but was not signed by the president.

IN THE SENATE.

Arkansas Ballot Crimes—Reagan Speaks Against the Blair Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In the senate Chandler presented a petition from Union county, Ark., representing that at the last state election a system of reign of terror prevailed, that armed mobs paraded the county day and night, terrorizing whites and shooting and whipping colored voters; that ballot boxes were carried off, and asking for the protection guaranteed by the constitution. The introduction of this petition was the occasion of a brief personal debate between Chandler, Harris and Berry. The petition, with several others from Arkansas, was finally referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

Stanford, from the committee on public buildings, reported the bill appropriating $200,000 for a public building at San Jose. Calendar.

A number of pension and private bills were passed; also the following public bill: Providing for a steam vessel for the use of the civil government of Alaska, appropriating $50,000 for the vessel and $15,000 for annual expenses.

The bill to amend the act to prevent the extermination of fur bearing animals in Alaska was on motion of Morrill [illegible].

The Blair educational bill was taken up as unfinished business. Ingalls inquired as to the time when the bill was likely to be disposed of, remarking that it stood in the way of many important measures, and giving notice that he would insist that its consideration proceed with dispatch.

Reagan addressed the senate in opposition to the bill. He described the bill as offering a bribe of $79,000,000 to the states if they would consent to accept it as the price for destruction of the right of local self government and imposing on them the humiliating condition of approving by an affirmative act of legislation the policy of the bill. In the interest of the cause of education, to prevent the federal government from being converted into a despotism and to avoid an additional fruitful cause of sectional strife and agitation, he hoped for defeat of the bill by the senate. Wilson of Maryland also argued against the constitutionality of the bill.

Butler offered a resolution, which was agreed to, authorizing the select committee on the five civilized tribes of Indians to investigate the status of negotiations between the United States government and the Cherokee tribe of Indians in relation to the Cherokee outlet. After an executive session the senate adjourned.

Nominations: Registers of the land office—Ed C. Ross at Walla Walla, Joseph R. Russell at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Confirmations—Cornelius H. Hanford, United States judge for the district of Washington.

In the House.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The house this morning took up the contested election case of Atkinson vs. Pendleton of the first district of West Virginia. Six hours were allowed for debate. The case of the contestant was championed by Rowell and Pendleton's claims maintained by O'Ferrall. Rowell was seconded by Lacey of Iowa, and O'Ferrall by Wilson of Missouri. All the speeches were confined to analysis of the evidence and were uninteresting. Pending further debate the house adjourned.

IT WILL BRING SILVER TO PAR.

Western Men Indorse the Bill Reported by the Senate Committee.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—As regards the bill reported by the senate committee on finance on the subject of silver providing that the secretary may purchase at the market price four and a half millions of silver bullion per month and such gold bullion as may be offered, Senators Sherman, McPherson and Beck are said to be opposed thereto, although the bill was unanimously reported to the senate by the committee. Senator Stewart of Nevada says of it: "It is a most important step in advance and assures the passage of the bill reported or some other equally beneficial. The measure will secure in my opinion the nearly unanimous vote of both houses, and if it becomes a law will absorb the entire silver product of the United States and greatly enhance the value of silver—perhaps send it to par. It treats gold and silver alike, as far as both are received and treasury notes issued. These treasury notes will ultimately become the money of the country."

Representative Morrow said when interrogated: "The measure is a step in the direction desired by the silver men. While it is not absolute free coinage it amounts almost to that, since there is probably not more than $50,000,000 of silver bullion, the amount called for under the proposed bill, produced every year in this country, thus virtually authorizing the secretary to buy all the silver produced in the country at the market price, a course that must inevitably bring silver to par."

"I think the silver men will unite on the measure," said Representative Bartine of Nevada. "For myself I would prefer retaining that part of the Bland bill which makes the coinage of two millions a month compulsory, but this measure is a step in the right direction."

"Put me down for the bill," Representative Vandever of California remarked.

"It is precisely my idea of the solution of the silver question," remarked Senator John P. Jones of Nevada, and a number of other silver men expressed similar views.

"The proposed bill is not exactly what the silver men wanted," was the remark of Congressman Clunie of California, "but is a long step in the right direction and will prove an inestimable advantage to the Pacific coast."

THE CIVIL SERVICE SCANDAL.

A Clerk Offered to Sell Examination Papers for $25.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The investigation into the charges against the civil service commission was resumed to-day. Ex-Commissioner Oberly went over the Campbell examination matter, and said he did not think Campbell's offense was such as to call for his dismissal.

Miss Dabney, who first told Commissioner Oberly of the papers, said that when she went to Flynn for instructions he offered to sell for $25 a list of questions which would be asked, but she did not have the money. She failed at the examination on account of sickness, and afterwards on a friend's advice, she told Oberly of the offer made her. Later, at Oberly's request, she borrowed the papers of Flynn.

Oberly then took the stand again and showed the papers obtained of Flynn, which were not secured by the latter until after the examination.

Flynn was called and said he received the papers from a Mrs. Smith. They were old and of no importance. Miss Dabney took them away without his permission. He declared her statement that he wanted to sell the papers false.

Campbell testified in the same line as Lyman and Oberly, but there was a conflict in his testimony as to whether he copied the papers before or after Mrs. Smith asked him for them.

The next charge was that Edmund D. Bailey was promoted from clerk to stenographer when the commission had more competent and deserving men. Commissioner Lyman said Bailey was promoted because of seniority. The work also was not exclusively stenographic.

JUSTICE FIELD'S GRATITUDE.

Seeking to Retain the Marshal Whose Deputy Slew Judge Terry.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Stephen J. Field, justice of the supreme court, is opposing the confirmation of ex-Assemblyman Long as United States marshal for the northern district of California, and in this it is understood he has the best wishes of Judges Sawyer and Hoffman of San Francisco. Judge Field's friends say he has no objection to Long, but he desires to reward Franks for his stand taken in the trouble when Deputy Marshal Neagle killed David S. Terry. The justice at first demanded of the delegation that the present marshal should be reappointed for the entire term, and claimed that as the position is one in his court he should be listened to. The republicans, however, decided that one of their own war horses should be selected. By an agreement between Senator Stanford and Attorney General Miller Long was to take office April 1. At this decision Justice Field took umbrage and now insists that Franks shall hold until the end of the fiscal year. It is not probable, however, that his opposition will have much effect.

Military Operations in Oklahoma.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—In response to a senate resolution the secretary of war to-day transmitted to congress the papers relative to the actions of the military in Oklahoma. One interesting feature is the charges against the military of undue and harsh exercise of authority. The officers in charge reply that they found a large number of lawless people and the action taken by them was necessary to the preservation of peace. The charges are said to have emanated from discontented gamblers and others whom the military prevented from causing trouble. As to preventing an election September 21, it was done at the request of regularly constituted officers of Oklahoma City and with a view to preventing serious trouble which would certainly have occurred. The call for the election was issued by discontented and unruly citizens, and contrary to the city charter. General Schofield thinks considering the delicate service required, it is a matter of congratulation that it was performed so well and with so few mistakes.

The Three Americas Railroad.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—The report of the committee on railroads favoring the construction of an international railroad to connect the North American systems with South America, was adopted by the Pan American congress to-day. Some of the details of the plan have already been published. The report provides for an international engineer commission of three engineers from each nation for preliminary surveys; that the construction and operation of the line should be at the expense of the concessionaires, or persons to whom they sublet the work or transfer the rights; that all materials for construction and operation be exempt from import duties and all taxation, and that execution of the work be further encouraged by subsidies, land concessions or guarantees of a minimum of interest.

Mr. Randall Is Dead.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2[illegible].—[illegible] Randall was [illegible] investigation proved there was no foundation for it.

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NEWS OF TWO STATES.

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THE SCENE OF THE TRAGEDY

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AWFUL ACCIDENT AT VANCOUVER

Mill Employe Nearly Severed in Twain—Bones of Dead Cattle Will Strew the Bunchgrass Plains This Summer.

MCMINNVILLE, Or., Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Fourteen miles from McMinnville on the road to Salem, in one of the most fertile sections of all the Willamette valley, lies the farm of William Scott, the alleged murderer of his wife. The ground is rolling and in a high state of cultivation. A large orchard forms a background to the house, and the buildings are in good repair. An air of prosperity is everywhere noticeable about the place, which is now deserted, except for the stock that stay close by the barn and gather wonderingly along the fence as strangers come to view the scene of the late horrible tragedy. A quarter of a mile away, across a wheat field is the home of Vardemon Scott, a son of the old man, who obligingly pointed out all places about the house and yard which have been spoken of in connection with the crime.

HOW THE DEED WAS DONE.

For about a week Mrs. Scott had been afflicted with neuralgic pains in her face and head caused by taking cold, and on this fateful Sunday morning, although it was broad daylight, she was still in bed. She must have been dozing, for the murderer came into the room, took a double barreled muzzle loading shotgun from its place behind the door, and aiming full at her head discharged one barrel. The charge struck just over the left eye, tearing away a portion of the skull, but not injuring the brain. As the poor woman started up in bed and threw back the covers an attempt was made to fire the second barrel, but the cap snapped and the powder failed to explode. In anger at his failure the murderer jabbed the muzzle of the gun in the face of his victim, making two circular bruises that were plainly visible even after death. Mrs. Scott then sprang from the bed and grappled with the assassin. She was a strong, vigorous woman, and a fierce struggle ensued. Evidences of it were found in hair pulled from her head, her nightdress torn, many bruises upon her body and purple finger prints on her wrist and arm, still showing on the corpse when being prepared for burial. In this struggle, however, she was overmatched, and half conscious, was flung on the foot of the bed, her head hanging over the edge, where she must have lain a few minutes at least, judging from the pool of blood that formed there. In the meantime the murderer made haste to reload the gun, trembling so much in so doing as to spill powder, shot and caps on the floor. As he was preparing to finish his bloody work the poor woman again regained her feet and ran, shrieking, out through the dining room and kitchen to the side porch, a distance of thirty feet. As she reached the kitchen door the murderer again took aim and fired. The gun this time had been heavily loaded, for it made a hole in the back in which one could put his fist, and many of the shot passed clear through the body. She fell against the kitchen door, covering it with blood, and then sank down upon the porch just as she was found by the first body when they arrived. The murderer then returned to the sitting room, in which the bed was, drew the covers up toward the pillows and laid the gun upon the bed side by side with a mopstick, the lunging idea being a hope an impression of suicide might be created. How dull a brain conceived this idea may be judged by the fact that it is absolutely impossible to touch the trigger of the gun underneath the guard with any part of the mopstick so that the gun could not have been fired in that way.

THE CIRCUMSTANTIAL EVIDENCE.

Farmer Scott states that he left his wife in bed and went to the barn to take care of the horses. While there he heard two shots fired, but paid no attention to them, although the barn is but 200 feet from the house, with nothing to obstruct the view. When he finally went to the house and found his wife lying on the porch, though she was still groaning, he made no effort to relieve her, did not even touch her, in fact, but passed over her body into the house, where he says he found the pillows afire and pulled them off the bed to stamp out the flames. Then instead of summoning his son who lives only a quarter of a mile away, or his next nearest neighbor Marion Townsend, he mounted his horse and rode a mile and a quarter over a private road to W. T. Martin's house. His actions and his words during the forenoon of that day aroused the suspicions of his neighbors.

He was seen to go about the barn with an old coat on his arm, looking up and down as if for a hiding place, and finally upon the approach of some one he threw the coat into a corner among some rubbish and fine straw, some of which he kicked over it. The coat when examined was found covered with blood, and it was undoubtedly worn by the murderer of Mrs. Scott in the struggle which he had with his victim. Scott denied on oath that the coat was his, while neighbors as positively swore that he wore it the night before the murder. Careful search was made all about the house, but no footprints could be found except those made by Scott himself and which his boot exactly fitted. Great stress will be laid upon the fact that a person in the barn must have heard the struggle in the house, as well as the shots fired. The contents of the patent medicine bottle which Scott was caught pouring into the fire, and which upon analysis proved to be strychnine, will form another link in the chain. Still another link is the leaves from Mrs. Scott's memorandum book, found back of the barn, crumpled, torn and covered with filth, which tell a story of dissatisfaction with her marriage and express a fear for her life.

THE ONLY MOTIVE SUGGESTED.

Vardemon Scott was very much opposed to his father's second marriage, for it resulted in the destruction of a will to the farm of about 110 acres, which had been made in his favor some time before. Neighbors say he talked very bitterly about his stepmother, calling her harsh and vile names, and that he had also used vile and insulting language to her. He was very anxious to get the farm which adjoins what property he has of his own and offered to buy it from his father, but Mrs. Scott refused to sign the deed and said that so long as she lived Vard Scott should never touch the place, that his money could not buy it and that he could not even rent it. It was at first the general opinion in the neighborhood that the son, being the only one who could be benefited by her death, was the guilty party, but there has been found no shadow of evidence to support this theory, and it is now argued that the father, espousing warmly the cause of his son, had a bitter quarrel with his wife, and his temper being aroused deliberately planned the murder, with the idea that he could fix it so as to appear a suicide. This will be the theory of the prosecution at the trial.

THE DEFENSE.

Aside from the general assertion of absolute innocence, neither the accused nor his attorneys will give any inkling of the testimony they will produce at the preliminary examination next Monday. From conversations with his neighbors it is clear that his hitherto irreproachable character will be the basis of the defense. The shock to an old man of finding his wife lying on the porch bathed in her blood will be held up as sufficient reason why he did not act as most men would under similar circumstances. It will be pointed out that he rode over to Mr. Martin's bareheaded and began calling when a quarter of a mile from the house. On the way back with Martin he talked about the matter as a suicide and exhibited many signs of sorrow at his wife's death. One neighbor will testify that Scott told him only a short time before the murder how much he thought of his new wife, how smart she was and how much she saved right along on butter and eggs. Whether this evidence of affection for his wife, as intense as a dairy and kitchen maid will [illegible] in the minds of a jury the strong circumstantial evidence outlined above remains to be seen. A. B. B.

DEFEAT OF THE PLOTTERS.

Spokane Rejoices With Seattle—Work on the [illegible] Stimulated.

SEATTLE, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—John Craig, auditor of the Seattle, Lake Shore and Eastern railway, who returned to-day from Spokane Falls, says the residents of that city are very indignant at the action taken by Van Houten and his associates to secure control of the road, and when the change of venue to Seattle was allowed the citizens there were jubilant. Craig says that Spokane people consider the Lake Shore & Eastern a local institution as much as the citizens of Seattle do and they consider the recent proceedings that tated against the company a wrecking scheme and a blow at their town.

A dispatch was received at the Seattle, Lake Shore & Western headquarters to-day from officials of the road at New York to push work on all the new lines, which indicates that the recent proceedings against the company tend to stimulate confidence in the road instead of weakening it. J. W. McLeod, who has the contract for building thirty miles of road on the company's extension to the Canadian Pacific, leaves for the front to-morrow morning. McLeod has over 300 men employed now, but will increase the number immediately.

FELL ON THE CIRCULAR SAW.

Lieutenant E. H. Clarke Killed at Vancouver—Nearly Cut in Two.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Lieutenant E. H. Clarke, of Company H, N. G. W., met a sudden and terrible death this morning. While engaged as setter in the Lucia mills he fell across the big circular saw, which struck him in the small of the back, terribly lacerating and almost cutting him in two. Though not instantly killed, he died a few hours later, slowly bleeding to death, the doctors not being able to stop the flow.

NEWS FROM PENDLETON.

Snow Killing Stock on the Range—Hunt's Graders Begin Work.

PENDLETON, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—H. C. Wright is down from Nye. He says stockmen are feeling exceedingly blue in that neighborhood and prophesies that if the present weather continues a week longer there will not be a live hoof left of many bands. The last storm and freeze have slaughtered many hundreds of sheep and cattle in the vicinity of Nye. One sheep man who had previously suffered no loss whatever counted eighty dead sheep Tuesday morning.

The case of the state vs. Ed. McReynards, charged with seduction, came up before Justice Bishop this afternoon. Defendant was bound over in the sum of $1000 to appear before the grand jury, bail being promptly furnished. No evidence was introduced for the defense. The testimony for the prosecution was to the effect that a young woman, May Smallwood, had been seduced under promise of marriage.

Ten car loads of cattle were shipped through Pendleton to-day over the Union Pacific. They were loaded at Soda Lake and bound for Portland.

William Blakely has been appointed administrator of the estate of A. L. Berry, who was shot and killed by John Davidson near Weston. Bonds for $6400 were furnished.

Oregon & Washington railroad graders left here for Union this morning. This is the first lot to work east of the Blue mountains.

While H. C. Wright was returning to his home at Nye to-day, the wagon, which was loaded with hay, upset and fell on Mrs. Wright, breaking her arm.

NEWS FROM LA GRANDE.

Snowplows Again Patrol the Tracks—The Union Pacific Track.

LA GRANDE, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Last night was the coldest of the year, the thermometer registering 12½ degrees below zero, the lowest previous register having been 9½ below. This cold weather is exceptional for this time of the year, and is very hard on stock. The wind has been blowing some during the past twenty-four hours, and it was found necessary to take the rotary snowplow to Union hill and clear the track of the drifts of snow. Trains are making good time on this division, and the track is in good condition.

D. L. Rease, of Walla Walla, has made definite arrangements to establish a brickyard at this place. The lack of good brick has retarded the growth of La Grande, and this industry is hailed with delight. Mr. Rease has had eighteen years' experience in making brick, and says the clay at this place is the best he has found in the West. There is plenty of capital back of this enterprise.

Mr. Antonelle, of the firm of Antonelle & Doo, contractors, on the road from this place to Elgin, arrived in La Grande last night, and will see that work is commenced at once. We understand that most of the grading work has been sublet to parties in this place.

The Union Pacific railroad will soon enlarge the repair shops at this place and more than double the force now employed. This is rendered necessary by the increased transcontinental business, added to the large amount of traffic.

The Chloride Mining Company, the principal stock of which is held by capitalists in La Grande, and whose property is located in the mountains twelve miles east of Haynes, in Baker county, will expend $100,000 in developing their property this summer. The company already has a tunnel 300 feet long, and the ledge is about eighteen feet wide. When the property is developed, it is believed this mine will show up to be exceptionally valuable.

NEWS FROM BAKER CITY.

An Aged Woman Pleading for Her Son's Life—The Mining Outlook.

BAKER CITY, Feb. 25.—[Special Correspondence.]—A numerously signed petition to the governor, is being circulated by Mrs. Pennington, mother of the unfortunate young man who murdered Charles Balcome, last summer. Mrs. Pennington is an object of much sympathy and many names have been subscribed to her petition out of pity for the poor old mother of this thoughtless young man, who is under sentence of death for the murder of an unarmed man, and whose ready pistol made a widow and an orphan, who also deserve some sympathy.

Preparations are being made for an active mining season. Additional machinery has been ordered for the Baisley Elkhorn mine, which is already being worked by a 3½ Huntington mill. The White Star Mining Company have also received additional machinery for the "Big Alec," which has been successfully worked with a Huntington mill for the past year. The Robbins mine is looking better than ever, and there is every prospect that a large plant will be erected on this property during the summer. C. M. Donaldson, manager of the E and E, of Cracker creek, is in the city. Nothing will be done by his company until the snows disappear, as it is impossible to procure dry wood in the snow.

A Thief's Cache Unearthed.

GOLDENDALE, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Mr. Wedgood, a farmer, who resides some fourteen miles east of Goldendale, who, with his sons, was feeding stock on a neighboring ranch, known as the Kirkland place, last Sunday evening, was greatly surprised to unearth in the loft of the barn, stowed snugly away in one corner, an immense dry goods box having a capacity almost equal to an ordinary wagon bed, filled with dry goods of every description. There were overcoats, dress coats, fine cassimere pants, vests, undershirts by the dozen, overalls, blouses, drawers, etc. Many articles had the appearance of having been worn some. The majority of it, however, was only damaged by the invasion of rats and mice. No one has occupied the place for some time, and Mr. Wedgood is at a loss to account for the way it got there. There were no marks upon the box from which to get a clew to its identification. It is barely possible that it is some goods that have for two years been charged up to the Goldendale fire, the purloiner having cached them away, and been afraid to return for them.

Railroad Project at Chehalis.

CHEHALIS, Feb. 25.—[Special Correspondence.]—Articles of incorporation of the Pacific, Chehalis & Eastern railroad were filed with the auditor of Lewis county to-day, and also forwarded to the secretary of state at Olympia. The capital stock of the company is $1,000,000; its principal place of business Chehalis, Lewis county, Wash.; its objects are to build, equip and operate a railroad from a point on the Willapa river, near Shoalwater bay, to the Columbia river in Eastern Washington. The first directors of the company are Francis Donahoe, John Dobson, D. C. Millett and William Urquhart, of Chehalis, and Herman Troc, John A. Chandler and Charles H. F. Morris, of St. Paul, Minn. The directors are all men of means, and are in earnest about the construction of this road.

West Seattle Corporations.

SEATTLE, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Articles of incorporation of the West Seattle Cable railway were filed to-day by Thomas Ewing, H. G. Struve, W. E. Bailey, J. F. Eshelman and W. C. Hill, of Seattle, and George W. Crayson and Horler King, of San Francisco. The objects are to operate a cable railway; to erect and maintain electric lights and telegraph and telephone wires; to deal in real estate, etc., in West Seattle; capital stock $500,000.

Articles were also filed by Thomas Ewing, H. G. Struve, W. E. Bailey, W. C. Hill, W. H. Llewellyn, G. H. Walker, of Seattle, and G. W. Prescott, San Francisco, for the West Seattle Electric Light & Water Company, with a capital stock of $100,000.

News From Salem.

SALEM, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—David Hutchinson was committed to the asylum to-day. His home is at Hubbard. He is homicidal and attempted to destroy his brothers, and succeeded in running them from home before a shotgun.

The teachers' quarterly examination for Marion county is now being held. There are thirty-seven applicants for certificates. The census of school district 24, in which is Salem, is now about completed and will show a school population of 2500, being an increase of 500 over last year. New schoolhouses to accommodate the rapidly increasing population will have to be built in both North and East Salem.

Wrestler Cameron Throws the Jap.

TACOMA, Feb. 26.—Special Telegram.]—The wrestling match to-night between D. H. Cameron, of San Francisco, and the Jap, Matsada Sorakichi, was a very pretty exhibition of science. The Jap still shows the effects of his recent illness, but was gamy throughout. Cameron secured the first bout in seven minutes, while the Jap won the second in four and a half minutes, throwing Cameron with a half-Nelson. The third bout lasted only four minutes, Cameron getting a full Nelson, bringing the Jap to the floor in short order. To-morrow night the same athletes wrestle Græco-Roman style. This is the Jap's favorite style, and a hard struggle is expected.

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A CHANGE OF ROUTE.

Railroad Engineers Set Out to Locate Cow Creek Track.

THE REST OF THE LINE CLEAR

Suicide of James Levinson, a Prominent San Francisco Merchant, by Taking Rat Poison—An End of His Pain.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—W. G. Curtis and Arthur Brown, superintendent of bridges and buildings, went up to Cow Creek canyon, in Oregon, to-day, where they will meet Assistant General Superintendent Pratt and Manager Koehler, of Portland, and determine the location of about three miles of new roadbed around the section where the buried track has been abandoned. The track has been cleared north to this big slide, and about ten miles of small slides and washouts remain on the north side.

The stream has lowered the dam only about twenty-five feet, and what has been washed away has simply lengthened the dam nearly two miles and created a new bed for the stream, fifty feet higher than before and thirty feet above the buried track. How to get the new track over this grade and through the canyon by a new route is the problem which the officials mentioned are going to solve. Until all this is done there will be no trains to Portland. The track will be constructed as quickly as possible, and in some places temporarily.

SUICIDE OF JAMES LEVINSON.

Prominent San Francisco Merchant Takes Poison to End Suffering.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—The death yesterday of James Levinson, junior member of the firm of Newman & Levinson, importers and dealers in trimmings, embroideries, etc., was at first thought to have resulted from natural causes, but his physician now states that he told him just before he died that he took poison. He was suffering from an incurable spinal trouble, and wanted to die. A chemical analysis is being made of Levinson's stomach, but the investigation is not yet completed.

The firm of which Levinson was a member is probably the widest known and largest of any firm here doing a similar business.

Dr. Flood has made the following statement to the coroner: "I was summoned to the home of the deceased on the afternoon of Monday. I found Mr. Levinson suffering from arsenical poisoning. I asked him what he had taken and he replied: 'Some "Rough on rats."' He said he wanted to kill himself because he was suffering from an incurable disease."

Dr. Flood declined to make any further statement to a reporter. "Of course," said he, "I will tell everything at the inquest, if called upon to do so, but, for the sake of the family, I will not talk now. In fact, Mr. Levinson's family were very desirous of keeping the whole matter out of the papers. His sister asked me to say nothing about it. I went to see the coroner for the purpose of keeping the circumstances attending the death covered up, but he told me that was impossible. I have done my duty, and don't understand why I should be called upon to say any more about it. The cause of death is well known."

Coroner Eaton states Miss Levinson said she had not found any box or vial in the bedroom containing poison. She admitted that her brother had frequently threatened to commit suicide, but had never attempted to do so, to her knowledge.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

Great Stir in Sugar—Onions Very Strong—Hops Going Up.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Spring is so near now that trade is expected to be brisk from now on. The money market is growing easier every day. Collections are not hard and failures are few and small. There is little to be said of cereals. Wheat is quiet at the prices which have ruled for weeks. Wheat freights are dull. Liberal receipts of oats have depressed this market, and prices are about $1 per ton lower, while the demand has also fallen off. Steady inquiry for feed stuffs is reported and prices exhibit little variation.

Produce has not been very interesting the past week. The storm led to the usual scarcity in eggs, and prices advanced, but they are lower and weak at the close, and receipts are large. There was quite a shipping demand for butter, but that has fallen off and the market is now quiet and amply supplied. There is little change in hay.

Potatoes are very firm, at a still further advance. Onions are strong at last week's prices.

Hops are quiet. Choice are held for 13c and can hardly be obtained for less, but the demand is far from urgent. Stocks in the state are small and the Eastern market is firm.

There is no trading in wool.

A feature of this market during the past week has been the uncertainty regarding sugar. The courts have temporarily got the American refinery in charge anent the trust matter, and the California refinery has been marking sugar up and down with old-time frequency. Sugar is again in its condition of a year or two ago—"don't know what the price is to-day, and don't dare wager on to-morrow." The latest fluctuation was an advance of ⅛ to ¼ cent per pound Monday. Some jobbers are short of sugar, owing to the withdrawal of the American refinery from the market, and it is reported that orders for sugar have been sent East. The freight from there to this point is 1⅓c per pound. Consumption on the Atlantic coast has recently been unusually heavy, the distribution at four Atlantic ports in January having been 113,745 tons, against 85,271 tons in January, 1889. The stock at the same ports February 1 was only 1901 tons, against 36,221 tons February 1, 1889. The stock February 1 was unusually small, due to the backwardness of supplies from Cuba. A firm sugar market is therefore expected.

Provisions have been quiet ever since the last heavy storm began. Prices show no noteworthy change. Canned fruits and canned salmon are dull at the old prices. Merchandise was quiet last week, owing also to stormy weather. Coal continues in ample supply for all current needs, and prices are by no means firm. The week's arrivals were 12,380 tons coast and 6630 tons Australian.

CALIFORNIA NEWS ITEMS.

Personal.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Mr. and Mrs. Nelson F. Holman, of Spokane Falls, are now in Santa Barbara. After a few weeks spent in Southern California they will leave for the East via New Orleans, expecting to return to Spokane Falls by May 1.

Miss O. M. Bailey, Miss N. M. Cheesty and Miss L. E. Ryan, of Seattle, Mrs. M. E. Howell, of Tacoma, and E. E. Canfield and wife, of Whatcom, are at the Grand hotel.

A New Southern Pacific Arm.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 26.—It is rumored that the Southern Pacific has purchased the Cuyamaca road and will immediately extend the line to an Eastern connection. The report, so far as a positive purchase is concerned, is premature, but the Southern Pacific has made an offer to Governor Waterman, through Thomas Daley, to accept the sum of $500,000 now offered and extend the road at once.

Didn't Leave a Thing.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—The *Chronicle* says that the Bankers' Mutual Relief Association has closed its doors and the whereabouts of F. L. Cattle and M. Mentor, the active officers of the concern, are unknown. A number of persons who have entrusted money with the association have found all the furniture, even, gone from its office.

The Mariposa Stage Robbed.

MERCED, Cal., Feb. 26.—The Mariposa stage was stopped this evening by two highwaymen about a mile from this place. The mails from Mariposa, Coulterville and intermediate points were taken, also Wells, Fargo & Co.'s box.

No Longer "Queen of the Pacific."

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—The steamer Queen of the Pacific, so well known at Portland, has had the latter part of her name expunged and will hereafter be known as "The Queen."

Colonel Donahue Better.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—Colonel J. Mervyn Donahue, president of the San Francisco & North Pacific railway, is resting easier to-day.

SLAVERY IN RUSSIA.

Workmen Who Murmur Are Hurried Away to Slow Death in the Mines.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—A correspondent of the *Times* newspaper says that the strike in Russia is in truth a revolt and is so treated by the authorities. The reason given is that Russian workmen are such ignorant, unreasonable beings that they would become utterly unmanageable without summary action of the judiciary. A month ago a case occurred that illustrates the childish absurdity of the men and the efficacious action of the authorities. A falling off in trade caused the proprietors of certain large mills to reduce the production and discharge a number of hands whose services were no longer useful. As soon as this decision was known a raving crowd of semi-savage men surrounded the managers and insisted that work should be found for the usual number of hands, threatening violence if their demand was unheeded, while at the same time a quantity of valuable machinery was destroyed by the rioters. The police were called in and settled the matter very quickly.

During the night fifty of the ringleaders were quietly spirited away, no one knows where or how. The rest, left leaderless, whimpered like whipped children and tried their favorite saints. Not hearing any answer from St. Vladimer, St. George of Cappadocia and the noble army of martyrs, the holy saints remaining deaf and unsympathetic, the strikers quietly went in and were beaten to work, completely demoralized. By and by it leaked out among the diplomats that the fifty poor fellows were hurried off to the mines of Cracow, where they were starved and ill-used till they imitated the example of Mme. Sihida and sought death as a refuge from tyranny. All this horror was kept quiet as possible, that the element of mystery might be added to the other difficulties, so that while the government got rid of fifty dangerous enemies, their former fellow laborers were awed by the incomprehensible disappearance of their leaders. This is how they do things in Russia.

THE TOILERS OF LONDON.

Cardinal Manning's Efforts in Behalf of Workingwomen.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Cardinal Manning, who is well, vigorous and hale in spite of his age and of the effects of the bad weather, which has prostrated so many of the older men, said to-day: "I am glad to have this opportunity of extending my warmest thanks to both the American press and its public for the hearty support which they have given me in my recent efforts on the labor question and the troubles arising from it. I read all I can of the efforts made in America to ameliorate the condition of the working classes; to make them contented and to secure proper hours and fair wages, and I trust that America will soon possess a similar organization to our English Women's Labor Union. I cannot help having the deepest sympathy with this movement, and I shall strive to promote its interests by every means in my power. I have never been an advocate of woman suffrage or of the other political rights demanded by women, but I do think the time has come, at this period of our great civilization, for strenuous and proper efforts to be made to protect the workingwomen and to insure to them the equal rights in the matter of their hours of work and their wages which the men now obtain. I think Harkness's book, "The Toilers in London," is the cause of the present energetic movement made in their behalf. This book shows the dreadful state of poverty to which the ill-paid, female toilers of the metropolis are condemned. The press is backward in revealing the true state of things, for capital always commands fear. Now, however, public sentiment is aroused, and trades unions will doubtless become as general with them as with men. The trades unions can be abused, but I trust the women's will never be made vehicles of publicity for the advertising of the woes of women with a political mission. Should that happen, the object of the women's trades unions will be lost.

"The question of the employment of women resolves itself legally into three parts—the employes, the employed and the disinterested side, which last is always ready to stand between them in order to see fair play. A perfect system of organization is even more essential in the case of the women than the men, inasmuch as men can in a measure protect themselves, while women, on the other hand, especially single women, are too often compelled to submit or starve. The time is perhaps not far off when the fact of a young girl's acquiring permanent injuries through long bending over machinery will be regarded as an act of barbarity and will be punished as such. America is renowned for its gallantry and kindness to women, so let us hope that the great New World will lead the crusade against every one who overworks, underpays or illtreats in any way the prototypes of his own mother and sisters."

HAS BISMARCK RESIGNED?

The Liberal Parties Gain a Million Votes—Berlin Given to the Socialists.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—It is semi-officially stated that the result of the elections has caused Bismarck's resignation from office.

The vote of the socialists, compared with the election of '87, shows a gain of 567,405 votes. The gain of the German liberals is 224,600. The Cartellers lost a million votes.

Conservative leaders recommend that their party abstain from voting on the second ballot in this city, where the division is practically between German liberals and socialists.

BERLIN, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The socialist organ, the *Schlesische Nachrichten*, in reviewing the recent elections, declares they are a series of unexpected victories along the whole line, which were achieved through the powerful attack of the socialist army storming the hostile position. The old world is helplessly adrift on the ocean; its sails are battered and it is asking itself what will be the result to the new generation. The answer is a message of triumph, a pæan of liberty, of peace, of culture and well being to the nations.

The Cologne *Gazette* combats the imperial intentions to protect the laborers, and urges protection of the employers instead.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Count Hatzfeldt, the German ambassador, has been instructed by his government to write a report on the labor question of England for comparison with the system in America. It is to be a digest of blue books, parliamentary papers and statistics from the books of the inspectors of factories since 1867, and it will also contain extracts from English and American papers. The legation at Washington will also forward to Berlin a report on the situation of the labor question as it exists in America. The emperor will compare the facts derived from these reports and draw his own conclusions.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—The *Standard's* Berlin correspondent believes Bismarck's decision to retain office is the outcome of a long interview he had with the emperor to-day, in which the emperor probably yielded on points of difference between them and consented to the presentation of a new anti-socialist bill.

HONORS EQUALLY DIVIDED.

Lord Abingdon Confesses Adultery, but Says His Accuser Is No Better

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—In the divorce court to-day a Mr. Derbyshire is suing his wife for adultery with Lord Abingdon. The plaintiff claims heavy damages and the adultery is admitted, but the case is adjourned on account of Lord Abingdon's injuries in the hunting fields. The interest centers in the question whether Lord Abingdon can obtain a mitigation of damages if he proves that Derbyshire is kept by a lady of wealth aged 60 years.

CABLE NOTES.

Colic and Love Trouble a Duke.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The Duke of Orleans had a violent attack of colic last night after dinner. The illness is attributed to change of diet consequent on the transfer to Clairvaux. The Duchess of Chartres and her daughter, Marguerite, the imprisoned Duke of Orleans's bethrothed, have taken up their residence in the Chateau d'Arc, near Clairvaux, which belongs to the Prince de Joinville. The duke's friends are striving to obtain his release on his promise to retire for a long time to America.

Wolves Devouring the Roumanians.

BUCHAREST, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—The cold has been so intense in this part of the country that whole packs of starving wolves have invaded the towns and villages, devouring all before them. In Bessarabia a mail cart was attacked and the postman with his horses were eaten up by the ravenous brutes. Hunting parties have been organized for the destruction of the wolves, under the leadership of the heir presumptive to the throne.

The English Lords.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—In the commons to-day Henry Labouchere gave notice that he would introduce a resolution to reduce the appropriation for courts, in order to call the attention of the house to the great scandal attaching to the administration of justice in the Cleveland street affair.

Labouchere has arranged that the motion on the West End scandals be considered in the commons Friday.

Balfour Concocting a Tory Lie.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Balfour is engaged in preparing a bill to give Ireland a system of local self-government or home rule. His scheme is said to be based upon the idea of treating the Irish as to local government just as the English and Scotch are treated in regard to the same subject. As any proposition to honestly do this would make the tories a home rule party, it is not believed his bill will be more than a pretense and juggle.

Germans Swarming to Africa.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—Hundreds of people are emigrating to Nyassa and other parts of Southeastern Africa. The German consul general in London has been empowered to assist 500 German clerks to go and settle in the rich district between Lake Nyassa and the mouth of the Zambesi. Thus quickly does Germany take advantage of Lord Salisbury's quarrel with Portugal.

Italy Groaning Under the Army.

ROME, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—There is a great deal of dissent and distress throughout Italy. Households where the pope's very name seemed forgotten now cry out that they were always more prosperous under the temporal power of his holiness, while radicals complain that the government is ruining the country for the sake of maintaining a huge and useless army to spite Bismarck.

Tisza Hissed.

BUDA PESTH, Feb. 26.—In the Hungarian lower house yesterday there was a renewal of the violent demonstrations against Premier Tisza. The opposition moved the rejection of the entire budget. One of their number was reproved by the president; thereupon all the others surrounded the president shaking their fists at the president and menacing him.

Wind Blew on the King of Spain.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—[Dunlap's Cable News.]—There is great depression at the Spanish embassy here to-night, in consequence of the infant king's relapse, caused by taking him out to drive and letting down the windows.

Little Abraham Lincoln Dead.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Young Abraham Lincoln died at a late hour to-night.

The Northern Pacific are now selling first-class limited tickets through to Chicago for $67; second-class, $39. These are the lowest rates now in effect.

THE IDOL OF HIS RACE

Peter Jackson Mobbed by White Rowdies in Baltimore.

ENVIOUS OF A BLACK MAN'S FAME

La Blanche Accepts Dempsey's Challenge, Offering to Wager One-Half His Saloon on the Issue—A Dignified Letter.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A *World's* Baltimore special says: "Since Peter Jackson's advent the negro population has gone wild over him. Their demonstrations at his exhibitions have been so effusive that the white 'toughs' became exasperated and a row occurred this afternoon. A crowd of whites and blacks waiting outside the theater for Jackson to come out, came into collision and a serious fight ensued.

When Jackson appeared the toughs, who were prepared for the occasion, started to bombard him with rotten eggs. His colored admirers formed a wall, however, and protected him. The police finally quelled the disturbance, and Jackson got away."

THE MARINE ACCEPTS.

Willing to Fight Dempsey for a $3000 Purse and $5000 a Side.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—George LaBlanche, who defeated Jack Dempsey at the California Athletic Club several months ago, publishes a letter to-day in which he offers to give Dempsey a return battle on certain conditions. LaBlanche says that after he defeated Dempsey he established himself in a profitable liquor business in this city and intended to retire, at least temporarily, from the ring. He accuses Dempsey and his friends of showering taunts and denunciations upon him until he has finally concluded to accept the Nonpareil's challenge for another contest.

The conditions which LaBlanche imposed are in the following language: My business I estimate to be worth $10,000, but in order to prove to Dempsey that I am not afraid of him I will sacrifice it for half that sum. Let Dempsey or his backers put up $5000 in some secure hands pending the fight, and if he defeats me I take down the $5000 and Dempsey walks into my saloon as sole proprietor. Should I prove the victor Dempsey takes back the $5000 and I retain the saloon. Under these conditions only I will consent to meet Dempsey before one of the clubs for a purse of not less than $3000.

Knocked Out in Fourteen Rounds.

BUFFALO, Feb. 26.—Jack Hanley to-night knocked out Jimmy Mitchell, of Philadelphia, in fourteen rounds, Queensberry rules. Billy Myers was referee.

The Billiard Tournament.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The ninth game of the billiard tournament was played to-night between George Slosson and F. C. Ives. Score: Slosson 500, Ives 448. Averages: Slosson 26 6-19, Ives 23 11-19. Time, 2 hours 29 minutes.

It was a splendid game, abounding in brilliant plays and fine runs. Ives made 34 in the first play and Slosson followed with 77. In the second Slosson scored 30; in the fourth Ives made a run of 84; in the fifth Slosson made 60; in the tenth, 34 more, while in the latter he made 81. At the end of the twelfth inning the game stood 205 for Ives, 284 for Slosson. In the thirteenth Slosson played great billiards and made a run of 136, finally slipping up on a difficult shot. Notwithstanding this great lead, Ives went to work and gathered in 98 points. A run of 37 in the seventeenth inning made Slosson's score 467, while 58 in the nineteenth gave Ives a total of 448. Slosson captured 22 points and the game in the nineteenth.

The Baseball Slave Contract Again.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The New York baseball club has brought another suit against "Buck" Ewing on the basis of the old contract.

SIBERIAN PACIFIC RAILROAD.

To Open the Rich Amoor Valley—Short Route to China.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Tribune* writes: A final decision has at last been reached by the imperial government regarding a trans-Siberian railroad. The work of construction will be begun at once and pushed vigorously to completion. Surveys have been made with sufficient accuracy to determine the most practicable route and also indicate the cost and time required for the enterprise. General Annenkoff, the builder of the trans-Caspian road, reckons that the entire line to Vladivostock will cost less than $200,000,000, and that through trains from the Baltic to the Pacific can be run within five years from the beginning. A highly important consideration in this matter is colonization of the country along the Amoor river. Besides its vast agricultural possibilities, the region is exceedingly rich in precious minerals. For years it has been known to contain some of the richest deposits of gold in the world, and vast stores of gems are also taken from the mines. All this region and its products belong to the Russian crown, but it borders the northern part of China and the boundary line is ill guarded. The result is that Chinese swarm across by thousands and are really securing the lion's share of the spoils.

There is still another immense advantage to be secured to Russia by construction of the railroad, and that is the trade of the Pacific ocean. At present this traffic reaches Europe almost exclusively by English routes. The northern Pacific trade is carried across America by Canadian and United States Pacific railroads and shipped to Europe by Atlantic lines. The trade of the central part of the coast finds its way to Europe by English routes through the Suez canal. With the opening up of China and Japan to commerce this trade is enormously increasing in importance, and it is to capture a portion of it that Russia now aims.

The Pacific terminus of the road will be at Vladivostock. There will presently be running another road from some point in China to Vladivostock, which will convey to the latter point the traffic of China. Steamship lines will also connect it with all the important Chinese and Japanese ports. Thence the transit across the Russian empire to Europe will be much easier, quicker and cheaper than the American route. In point of time it will have the advantage of at least a week, and will also avoid the risks and unpleasantness of voyages across two oceans, and will require far less handling and reshipment of goods. Whether or not it be true that a sea voyage impairs the quality of tea, at any rate there will be a possibility of conveying the tea of China to Europe overland.

THE VOICE OF THE DEAD.

A Deceased Clergyman Preaches His Funeral Sermon by Phonograph.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—There has been much talk yesterday and to-day over a novel scene that took place Sunday, in which a phonograph was made to preach a funeral sermon over the corpse of its author. For the past four years Rev. Thomas Allen Horne had resided at Larchmont, spending the declining years of his life attending to a little farm. Eight months ago his wife was carried to the grave. Lately Horne had been laid up with pneumonia, and last Friday he expired, at the age of 77. He had left explicit instructions for his burial and the services to be held over his remains, and when he was buried the dining-room and parlor were filled with mourners who had come to pay their respects to his memory.

When a song had been sung a roll was put into a phonograph by the dead man's nephew. It contained the funeral sermon of his uncle, uttered by himself. Seldom had a more impressive one been listened to. It sounded so weird that two ladies fainted and had to be carried out.

The well-remembered voice of the deceased clergyman told of how at the time his audience would hear him he would be in that land where the wicked cease from troubling and the weary are at rest. He went on to say he would have passed the portals of ignorance and would have entered that expanse where there would be no further mystery, but where all things would have been made plain. It enumerated the virtues of the deceased, and prayed to God that the speaker might be considered worthy to become a member of that portion of God's kingdom where he might be enthroned.

At this point of the address the speaker broke down, and from the instrument the terrible sounds of a strong man weeping and unable to restrain himself broke out with terrible realistic force, and caused a shudder of horror among those who were in the room. The interment took place in Woodlawn cemetery. After the coffin had been lowered into the grave the impressive service of the Episcopal church was read over it, still in the voice of the deceased.

RICHEST MAN IN THE WORLD.

William Waldorf Astor Inherits the Vast Estate of His Father.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—At noon to-day William Waldorf Astor and Lawyer Southmayd, executors, entered the surrogate's office with John Jacob Astor's will and filed a petition for its probate. The will covers only two and a half sheets of parchment. By the terms of the will St. Luke's hospital receives $100,000, the Metropolitan museum of art $50,000, the New York cancer hospital $100,000, the Astor library $450,000, Alexander Hamilton $30,000, Joseph Simmons Armstrong $30,000. All the residue of the estate goes to his son, William Waldorf Astor.

Everybody is commenting on the fact that Mrs. William Astor left for Europe several hours after the death of her brother-in-law, John Jacob Astor, and was wholly ignorant of his passing away. No amount of explanation will satisfactorily explain the fact that his critical condition and death were not announced to her, although she lived within a hundred feet of him, and although people in the house of the dead man knew that she was on the point of sailing for Europe. Failure to make such an announcement confirms the stories that a deal of jealousies and conflicting interests have amounted to almost what might be called a family feud. The elevation of William Waldorf Astor to the place of head of the house in America places his wife, so far as the family is concerned, higher than Mrs. William Astor, who has hitherto been arbiter in the most select circles of the 400. Young Mrs. Astor is a beautiful and accomplished woman. She had no fortune when young Astor fell in love with her pretty face and offered her his hand and a share of the Astor fortunes.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Tennyson is much improved.

Cholera has abated in Persia.

Influenza is raging in Eastern Syria.

Peter G. Beam, for many years agent at San Francisco of several railroads, is dead.

Non-commissioned officers to reinforce Major Wissmann in East Africa have left Berlin.

The ship Highland Light made her last trip from Seattle to San Francisco in five days.

A new theater is to be built on Market street, at the corner of Larkin and Hayes, San Francisco.

A postoffice has been established at Elyn, Chehalis county, Wash., with B. F. Dean postmaster.

The West Virginia legislature has adjourned. The ballot reform bill was killed by the republican senators.

After a failure to borrow money in Europe to keep up the Italian army, Premier Crispi has turned to America.

Temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday: New York 44, New Orleans 70, St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 64, Chicago 12, Winnipeg 30 below.

Cashier Van Zandt, of the Sixth National bank, New York, has been released on bail. Application for reduction of Pell's bail was refused.

The festival in honor of the 70th birthday of the German poet Hermann von Lingg, at Munich Tuesday night, was an immense success.

Jacob Henkell, an extensive manufacturer of sugar boxes in New York, has failed. Liabilities are stated to be $114,000 and assets about the same.

George Clark, one of the murderers of William McCausland, of Allegheny City, in September, 1877, was hanged at Waynesburg, Pa., Wednesday.

The long-predicted fuel famine in the British Isles is again postponed by the discovery of coal deposits at the foot of Shakespeare cliff, at Dover.

The body of Charles Bogley, cook of the ship Glen Morag, who fell overboard and was drowned on the 7th inst., has been found in San Francisco bay.

S. E. Cramer will be appointed postmaster at Cheney, Wash. The term of the present incumbent expires on account of the office becoming presidential.

The comptroller of the currency has declared a third dividend of 10 per cent in favor of the creditors of the California bank, of San Francisco, making in all 25 per cent.

The funeral of Miss Bessie Long, daughter of Hon. A. J. Long, living six miles east of Goldendale, Wash., took place Tuesday. She was 16 years old and weighed 300 pounds.

The steamer Hope, owned by W. P. Hayward, of Victoria, which went on the rocks twenty-seven miles from that city last week, has been raised. Repairs will cost $2000.

Box Poop, a white man of bad character, and his son, 11 years old, were shot dead Monday night while riding from Cummings Mill, S. C., to their home in Hampton county.

James Young, a seaman, fell from the royal yard to the deck of the bark Sumatra, from Oregon for Mexico with lumber, and was put ashore at San Francisco. His injuries are internal.

Miss Amy Fowler, the young Dominican sister who is on her way to nurse the loathsome lepers of Molokai, Hawaii, has reached San Francisco, and expects to sail for the islands Friday next.

In the election of directors of the Mechanics' Institute, San Francisco, the regular ticket won by 95 majority, after a hard struggle. This ticket favors erection of a new building for the mechanics' library.

In the Perrin bank robbery trial at Ashland, Wis., Wednesday, Seymour, a reputable citizen of Hurley, testified that Perrin came to him with a proposition to tunnel under the bank vault and take out $50,000.

Dom Pedro is unwilling to dismiss his imperial suite. He has therefore resolved to endeavor to come to terms with the Brazilian government, renounce the crown and return to Brazil and live as a private person.

Melting snow caused a washout on the south side of the Columbia hills, twenty miles southeast of Goldendale, Wash., Sunday last, exposing the tusk of a mammoth. It was five feet in diameter at the large end and seven or eight feet long.

Fire broke out Wednesday night in the stables of the Cameron colliery, Shamokin, Pa., 500 yards below the surface. Two miners are shut in, with fair prospects of rescue. About fifty mules were in the stable, and it is feared all have been suffocated.

At New York Wednesday morning, during a fog, the Barclay-street ferry boat Montclair was run into in midstream by the Chambers-street ferry boat Erie. A panic occurred among the passengers, but it subsided when they found little danger.

Baron DeStruve, Russian minister at Washington, has been instructed to present the views of his government in the pending Behring sea negotiations at Washington, particularly touching points in the protection of seals during the breeding season.

Edward Walsh, sergeant of the marine corps at Vallejo, died Wednesday, of heart disease, at Mare Island. He had served in India with Sir Colin Campbell ten years, sailed with Admiral Farragut, and for eight years had been orderly sergeant at the yard.

The Rhode Island prohibitionists have put in nomination the following ticket: Governor, Rev. John Larry; lieutenant-governor, Joshua C. Brown; secretary of state, John W. Mooney; attorney-general, John T. Blodgett; general treasurer, John P. Hazard.

The request of the Union Iron Works of San Francisco to be relieved of the $33,000 penalties accruing by reason of the horsepower developed by the cruiser Charleston falling below the contract requirement has been granted by the senate committee on naval affairs.

Elizabeth Roberts, of Chester, England, 9 years old, took a precocious interest in the Maybrick trial. She has just been sentenced to seven years' imprisonment for attempting to poison a lady whom her father, a widower, was going to marry, and whom she disapproved of as a step-mother.

A band of Albanians made a descent upon the villages of Babloak, Robuci and Labrush, in Old Servia, and plundered them, many inhabitants being tortured to death by the robbers. A battalion of Turkish troops was dispatched to the scene, but were powerless against the marauders.

The Oakland, Cal., insurance war is over, a compromise having been effected by the Compact and the New Zealand Insurance Co. The battle lasted twenty days, and in that time the income of the companies from Alameda county, owing to cut rates, fell from $300,000 to $100,000 per annum.

Gustav Taffel and L. J. Miller, trustees of the creditors of Archbishop Purcell, have filed two suits in Cincinnati to recover amounts due from Assignee Mannix, aggregating $407,000. The actions are to recover from the bondsmen, as petitioners assert that Mannix is in California and insolvent.

The steamer Manitoba, from Glasgow, arrived at Halifax Wednesday night, bringing the crew of the French steamer Mantique, thirty-seven men. The Mantique went down soon after the crew were taken off. A steamer arriving at Pierre brought two shipwrecked crews of American schooners.

A sensation has been caused at St. Petersburg by an editorial in the *Novosti* declaring that Austria, by augmenting her army and assisting Bulgaria to pay the Russian indemnity, is menacing the peace of Europe, and her action will provoke the interested powers to adopt measures to counteract her policy.

The report of the London Steam Navigation Company shows that the recent strike of laborers cost a sum equal to a dividend of 10 per cent. The cost of labor had been increased 35 per cent. The report further said that if the strike were renewed the bulk of the shipping trade would be diverted to other places.

There are thirty-two square-rigged deep-water American vessels in San Francisco harbor. Five are engaged for Nanaimo, two for Liverpool, one for Valparaiso, one for Departure bay, three for the United Kingdom, two for New York, two for Honolulu, one for Alaska, and ten whose destination is as yet uncertain.

Emil Newman, a noted Berlin professor of music, has been arrested on a charge of murdering his son, aged 21, who was found hanging to a bedpost with all the appearance of suicide. The motive for the crime is supposed to be the son's discovery of his father's systematic criminal conduct with many of his female pupils.

The third trial of Lee Chuck, the notorious highbinder, who in July, 1888, killed a fellow highbinder in cold blood, was commenced Wednesday morning in the superior court at San Francisco. Lee Chuck has already been tried twice and convicted on both occasions, but the supreme court granted him new trials on legal technicalities.

E. R. Esher, jr., son of Bishop Esher, has been expelled from the Evangelical church of Chicago for bringing suit in a civil court against church brethren without first resorting to brotherly means. The suit was one for libel against the publishers of a Pennsylvania periodical, and grew out of the controversy between Bishop Esher and the recently suspended Bishop Dubs.

Right Honorable Sir Henry Isaacs, lord mayor of London, whose name appears at the head of an advertisement in the daily papers as chairman of the Anglo-Austrian Printing Company, is harassed by financial critics, who insist that he takes advantage of his exalted office to promote companies. Newspapers repeat the charges and brokers threaten impeachment.

The Pan-American conference has accepted the resignation of Pierre, of New York, the Spanish secretary, whose resignation has been sent in several times, but withdrawn at the request of the foreign delegates. The resignation is due to a feeling on the part of Pierre that the salary was inadequate, and to a difference between him and Curtis, the executive officer of the conference.

The London county council has passed a bill providing that all musical performers shall be licensed and must submit copies and descriptions of the songs, sketches and dances that they propose to give, to the censor of that body. The framers of the bill evidently desired to make the gulf between music halls and the regular theatrical stage as wide and deep as possible.

The Bavarian ecclesiastical authorities here are disgusted with the mercenary conduct of the managers of the passion play at Oberammergau, which is being run exclusively as a money-making scheme. The Bavarian government has decided not to permit the play being given there after this year, and the one produced at Brixlegg, in the Tyrol, will then be the only survivor of the mediæval mystery plays of Europe.

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The New Buildings Being Erected at Anacortes Nearing Completion.

ANACORTES, Wash., Feb. 25.—[Special Correspondence.]—There has never been a town started in the Northwest, or for that matter on the coast, where such progress has been made within a short space of time as has been in Anacortes during the last three months. It is the belief of the people here that this is really the coming great city of the Sound, and firmly imbued with this spirit they have gone to work in earnest to build a city that will some day be the boast of Washington. Anacortes even to-day is no mere village. The town has at the lowest estimate some 3000 people, and this population is rapidly increasing. There is neither a vacant store nor a vacant dwelling in the city, and on all sides are seen the evidences of prosperity and enterprise. No man need be idle in Anacortes for twenty-four hours after his arrival here. Every available carpenter has been put to work in the erection of the numerous new buildings in the town, brick layers are only hindered in their work, if at all, by the exigencies of the weather, and stone masons, laborers and artisans of all kinds find enough for willing hands to do.

While there is necessarily much speculation in real estate values in Anacortes, the prosperity of the town does not depend in the least on the mere selling of town lots. Thousands of dollars have already been made here in real estate investments, and the holder of Anacortes real estate will doubtless see his present holdings double and treble in value within the next year, but with all this movement in property there is already considerable business springing up here that will materially add to the importance of the place. Anacortes has a good business street that is lined with stores and every business man seems to be making money. There will be some very interesting developments here within the next few days and the general public will be informed of the turn in the tide through the correspondent of THE OREGONIAN at Anacortes.

The Fortification of Esquimalt.

OTTAWA, Feb. 26.—In the commons to-day Colonel Prior, of Victoria, inquired whether the government intended to proceed at once with the work of lengthening the drydock at Esquimalt. If not, whether negotiations were proceeding between the imperial and Dominion governments in regard to the same. Also whether it is the intention of the government to proceed shortly with the necessary works for fortification of Esquimalt, and whether any arrangement had been arrived at with the imperial government in regard to the same. Langevin, minister of public works, replied that communications on the subject are still pending between the two governments.

Another Attempt to Oust President Corbin.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 26.—A petition addressed to the judges of the court of common pleas, praying dissolution of the voting trusteeship of the Reading Railroad Company and the removal of Corbin from the presidency, was circulated to-day and a number of signatures obtained. Some of the signers had a large interest in the railroad, and their views, it is thought, will have considerable weight in the court.

Ex-Governor Swineford on Alaska.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Ex-Governor Swineford, of Alaska, was in the city to-day and talked at length to a local reporter about Alaska. He is very confident the sealing contract will be let to the Alaska Commercial Company, which corporation, he asserts, dominates not only in Alaska, but many politicians in the United States. He spoke bitterly against the company's methods.

Floods in the Gila Valley.

YUMA A. T., Feb. 26.—The Gila river is extraordinarily high, owing to rain floods and melting snows from the north. There is a considerable overflow over the agricultural valleys, and it is feared the damage is serious in places. About half a mile of Southern Pacific track near Yuma is badly washed.

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W. E. Ogle, Seatco, W. T.—Liver and kidney complaint and dyspepsia, also deafness and whole system run down; cured.

William Little, Seattle, W. T.—Pain in his chest of over eight years' standing; entirely cured.

J. W. Zumwalt, Albany, Or. (formerly of Moro, Wasco county, Or.)—Cured of an aggravated case of rheumatism and spinal complaint.

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The Markets

There is a state of quietude in all partly due to the sudden cold snap of products generally, however, is demand. On account of interruption has not been possible to record the sundry commodities since February to found a statement of such receipts time to date, together with current q

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The following are the fluctuations Eastern markets:

NEW YORK.

	Closed. 25th	Opened. 26th
February	86	
March	86¾	86½
April	86¼	86½
May	86¼	86½
June	85¾	85½

CHICAGO.

	Closed. 25th	Opened. 26th
February	75¾	
March	75¾	75½
May	77¾	77¼

FLOUR—Quotations: Standards, brands $3 50.

POTATOES—Quotations: $1 75 per c

BUTTER—The market is weak. Oregon: Choice dairy, 25c per pound Good to fair, 15@20c. Common, 12 creamery, 30c per pound, 65c per California, 20c.

EGGS—Quotations: Oregon, 15@ 18c.

FREIGHTS—There is little activity ket, although it remains firm. The River Falloch has been chartered Co. at 38s 9d for the U. K. The British is now the only disengaged ship in p

OATS—Receipts since February ctls. Quotations: 40@42c.

MILLSTUFFS—Receipts since Feb. ctls; 332 ctls were bran, and 1119 ctls market remains the same. Quotat $16@18; shorts, $18@20; ground bar chop feed, $19 50@20; middlings, ton.

HAY—Receipts since February 1 we The market is dull. Quotations: ton.

VEGETABLES—The market is tions: Cabbage, $2 per ctl; cauli per doz; celery, 90c per dozen bun $2 50 per ctl: assorted vegetables, onions, 2½@3c per pound; potat ctl. Receipts since February 1 were

GREEN FRUITS—Quotations: Ban $4 per bunch; lemons, $6@7 per Riverside seedlings, $3 25@3 50 per ington Navels, $3 75@4 50 per box, 2 50 per box. Receipts since February boxes.

HOPS—Quotations: 10c.

HIDES—Receipts since February pounds. The market shows no activity tions: Dry hides, selected prime, selected, over 50 pounds, 4c, under sheep pelts, short wool, 20@50c; 80c; long, 90c@$1 25; shearlings, good to choice, 3@3½c.

WOOL—The market is still dull and tations: Eastern Oregon 10@16c, shrinkage.

POULTRY—Quotations: Chicken ducks, $7@9; geese, $9@10 50 per dozen.

The Merchandise Market.

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Quotations are as follows:

SUGARS—The market is very firm. Golden C, 5⅝c; extra C, 6c; dry c; cube crushed, 7⅜c; powdered,

BEANS—The market is firm. Quot Whites $2 75@3; pink $3 50; bayos, $2 75@3; Lima, $5 25 per cental.

COFFEE—The market is firm and tions: Arbuckle's roasted, 26½c; Java, Rico, 22@22½c; Rio, 22½c; Salvador,

DRIED FRUITS—Receipts since 117 packages. No change in the dried apples, 6c; bleached, Italian, 8@9c; silver prunes, German, 5½c; pears, Plum smoked and factory plums, 15c; evaporated, 10@16c; raisins, box; Smyrna figs, 14@16c; California pound.

CANNED GOODS—The market is tions: Table fruits, 2½s; peaches, pears, $1 85@1 90; plums, $1 $2 25; cherries, $2; blackberries, raspberries, $2 25@2 60. Pie Fruit $2 50 per dozen; 2½s, peaches $1 60; blackberries $1 65. Tomatoes $1 20@1 25. Sugar peas, $1 40@1

The Meat Market.

Receipts since February 1 were head; sheep, 243 head; hogs, 522

The meat market is firm. Quotations:

Beef—Live, 4c; dressed, 8c.

Mutton—Live, 6c; dressed, 10c.

Hogs—Live, 5c; dressed, 6½c.

Veal—6@8c.

Smoked meats and lard—Quotations: hams 10½@12c, breakfast bacon 8⅛@9c, lard 8½@9½c.

Hardware.

NAILS—Quotations: Wire, base, $3 75; iron nails, base, $3 55 per

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 26.

Financial.

Following is the business of the Portland clearing house to-day: Clearings, $234,541 12; balances, $58,155 54.

Merchandise received by rail includes: 9 cars sheet iron, 1 car machinery, 1 car scrap iron, 450 cs canned vegetables, 500 cs canned oysters, 47 pkgs dry goods, 59 pkgs hardware, 100 bbls meal, 1 car furniture, 23 cs clothing, 400 cs canned milk.

Produce receipts, past 24 hours: 2860 ctls wheat, 921 bbls flour, 4057 ctls oats, 70 ctls millstuffs, 255 sks potatoes, 1467 lbs hides, 16 pkgs butter, 110 bxs eggs, 24 bxs green fruit, 25 pkgs dried fruit, 5 tons hay, 88 hd cattle, 307 hd sheep, 178 hd hogs.

The Markets

There is a state of quietude in all the markets, partly due to the sudden cold snap. The supply of products generally, however, is equal to the demand. On account of interruption of traffic it has not been possible to record the receipts of sundry commodities since February 1. Below will be found a statement of such receipts from that time to date, together with current quotations.

WHEAT—The market is the same. Quotations: $1 17@1 25.

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CHICAGO.

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February	75¼	....	75⅜	75¾
March	75⅜	75¾	75½	75⅝
May	77¼	77¼	77¾	77⅝

FLOUR—Quotations: Standards, $3 75; outside brands $3 50.

POTATOES—Quotations: $1 75 per ctl.

BUTTER—The market is weak. Quotations: Oregon: Choice dairy, 25c per pound, 50c per roll. Good to fair, 15@20c. Common, 12½@15c. Fancy creamery, 30c per pound, 60c per roll; choice California, 20c.

EGGS—Quotations: Oregon, 18@20c; Eastern, 20c.

FREIGHTS—There is little activity in this market, although it remains firm. The British ship River Falloch has been chartered by C. Cæsar & Co. at 38s 9d for the U. K. The British ship Menai is now the only disengaged ship in port.

OATS—Receipts since February 1 were 15,956 ctls. Quotations: 40@42c.

MILLSTUFFS—Receipts since Feb. 1 were 1511 ctls; 392 ctls were bran, and 1119 ctls mixed. The market remains the same. Quotations: Bran, $15@18; shorts, $18@20; ground barley, $22@25; chop feed, $19 50@20; middlings, $22 50@25 per ton.

HAY—Receipts since February 1 were 175 tons. The market is dull. Quotations: $16@16 50 per ton.

VEGETABLES—The market is firm. Quotations: Cabbage, $2 per ctl; cauliflower, $1 10 per doz; celery, 90c per dozen bunches; squash, $2 50 per ctl; assorted vegetables, $3 per crate; onions, 3½@4c per pound; potatoes, $1 75 per ctl. Receipts since February 1 were 3204 sacks.

GREEN FRUITS—Quotations: Bananas, $3 75@4 per bunch; lemons, $6@7 per box; oranges, Riverside seedlings, $3 25@3 50 per box; Washington Navels, $3 75@4 50 per box; apples, $2@2 50 per box. Receipts since February 1 were 264 boxes.

HOPS—Quotations: 10c.

HIDES—Receipts since February 1 were 55,850 pounds. The market shows no activity. Quotations: Dry hides, selected prime, 9@10c; green, selected, over 55 pounds, 4c, under 55 pounds, 3c; sheep pelts, short wool, 30@50c; medium, 50@80c; long, 90c@$1 25; shearlings, 10@20c; tallow, good to choice, 3@3½c.

WOOL—The market is still dull and weak. Quotations: Eastern Oregon 10@16c, according to shrinkage.

POULTRY—Quotations: Chickens, $5 50@6; ducks, $7@8; geese, $9@10 50 per dozen.

The Merchandise Market.

The past week has seen an agreeable state of activity in this market. The opening up of communication with outside points has stimulated trade, and orders have been liberal. The sugar market has shown great activity. Fluctuations have been frequent, almost entirely of an upward tendency. Speaking of the sugar trade and the complications attending it in the San Francisco market, the *Commercial News* of that city, under date of February 21, says:

"During the week the superior court appointed a receiver to take charge of the American sugar refinery and wind up its affairs, and this was immediately followed by a writ of prohibition from the supreme court, restraining the receiver from acting under the order of the lower court and setting March 3 as the date upon which the lower court should show cause why the prohibition should not be perpetual. About the same action was taken in New York in a similar case, as shown by the following extract from a New York paper: 'Justice O'Brien yesterday, in supreme court chambers, handed down his decision in the suit of H. W. Gray, receiver of the North River Sugar Refining Company, against the DeCastro & Donner Sugar Refining Company and other members of the sugar trust. He decided in substance that the company should be allowed to continue its business, but continues the injunction restraining the trust from transferring its property or assets, or doing any other acts that might interfere with the rights of the plaintiff.' Early in the week the local refineries reduced all quotations for refined ⅛c per pound, but later the fraction was restored and quotations now stand on the basis of 6⅝c for dry granulated."

Since that date, however, a general advance has taken place. Golden C has gone up ⅝c, extra C ⅝c, dry granulated ⅛c and crushed and powdered ⅛c, with a market almost entirely bare.

Quotations are as follows:

SUGARS—The market is very firm. Quotations: Golden C, 5⅞c; extra C, 6c; dry granulated, 7c; cube crushed, 7⅜c; powdered, 7⅜c.

BEANS—The market is firm. Quotations: Small whites $2 75@3; pink $3 50; bayos, $4 25; butter, $3 75@4; limas, $5 25 per cental.

COFFEE—The market is firm and high. Quotations: Arbuckle's roasted, 26¼c; Java, 27½c; Costa Rica, 21½@22c; Rio, 22½c; Salvador, 22c.

DRIED FRUITS—Receipts since February 1 were 17 packages. No change in the market. Sun-dried apples 6c; bleached, 9½@10c; Oregon prunes, Italian, 8@9c; silver prunes, 7@8c; petits, 8@9c; German, 5½c; pears, Plummer-dried, 9@9½c; sun-dried and factory plums, 6@7c; peaches, 14@16c; evaporated, 15@16c; raisins, $2 25@2 50 per box; Smyrna figs, 14@16c; California figs, 9c per pound.

CANNED GOODS—The market is steady. Quotations: Table fruits, 2½s; peaches, $2; Bartlett pears, $1 85@1 90; plums, $1 65; strawberries, $2 25; cherries, $2; blackberries, $1 85@1 95; raspberries, $2 25@2 50. Pie Fruit: Assorted 8s, $3 50 per dozen; 2½s, peaches $1 25@1 50; plums, $1 25; blackberries $1 65. Tomatoes, 2½s, 95c; 3s, $1@1 25. Sugar peas, $1 40@1 50; string beans, $1 10@1 20.

The Meat Market.

Receipts since February 1 were: Cattle, 196 head; sheep, 2431 head; hogs, 522 head.

The meat market is firm. Quotations:

Beef—Live, 4c; dressed, 8c.

Mutton—Live, 5c; dressed, 10c.

Hogs—Live, 5c; dressed, 6½c.

Veal—6@8c.

Smoked meats and lard—Quotations: Eastern hams 12@12½c, breakfast bacon 11@12c, sides 8@9c, lard 9½@9¾c.

Hardware.

NAILS—Quotations: Wire, base, $4 50; steel, base, $3 75; iron nails, base, $3 65 per keg.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The stock market to-day is quiet and, left to itself, would have shown an improving tendency, but the bears got in pressure upon Rock Island, Burlington, St Paul and some others, though with small effect only. The general list showed a strong undertone throughout. The market rallied slightly in the last hour and closed steady and dull. Final changes are irregular, though declines are more numerous.

Governments, steady.

MONEY, BONDS AND STOCKS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26. Money on call, closed 2½@6. Prime mercantile paper, 4½@6¼. Sterling exchange, quiet and steady; sixty-day bills, $4 81½; demand, $4 85½.

BONDS.

U. S. 4's (reg)	122¾	U. S. 4½'s (coupon)	104½
U. S. 4's (coupon)	122¾	Pacific 6's	116
U. S. 4½'s (reg)	103¼		

STOCKS.

American Ex	116	Preferred	141½
Canada Southern	53	N. Y. Central	106
Canada Pacific	74¼	Oregon Imp	44
Central Pacific	32½	O. R. & N.	94½
Burlington	108	Oregon Short Line	46
Lackawanna	135½	Transcontinental	34¾
Denver & R. G.	15¾	Pacific Mail	37
Erie	25½	Reading	39¾
Kansas & Texas	7	Rock Island	89¾
Lake Shore	104⅝	St. Paul	67⅝
Louisville & Nash	84¼	Texas Pacific	19¼
Michigan Central	98	Union Pacific	64¾
Missouri Pacific	72⅛	U. S. Express	85
Northern Pacific	30¾	Wells, Fargo	140
Preferred	49½	Western Union	83
Northwestern	106	Am Cotton Seed Oil	26⅝

MONEY MARKETS.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Consols, 97 7-16. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 43⅝. Bank of England rate of discount, 5 per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Sterling exchange, long, $4 82½; short, $4 86½; U. S. bonds, 4's, 122½; 4½'s 103½. Silver bullion, per fine ounce, 95⅝.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Sterling exchange, 60 days, $4 82½; documentary, $4 81¼. Transfers, 30 prem.

SAN FRANCISCO MINING STOCK MARKET.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.

Ophir	$4 05	Utah	65
Mexican	3 35	Bullion	60
Gould & Curry	1 40	Seg Belcher	1 50
Best & Belcher	2 85	Justice	1 50
Con Cala	4 55	Union	2 45
Savage	1 60	N. B. Isle	1 05
Chollar	2 45	Bodie	50
Potosi	1 65	Peer	20
Hale & Norcross	2 75	Peerless	25
Crown Point	1 35	Overman	1 10
Yellow Jacket	2 15	Alpha	95
Belcher	1 75	Imperial	45
Sierra Nevada	2 25		

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Produce receipts past 24 hours included: 112,700 ctls wheat; 15,400 qr sks flour; 2300 ctls barley, 1600 sks potatoes.

Freights—No new grain business reported. Tonnage is firmly held, but the market is dull and inactive. Coal and lumber vessels in fair demand at steady rates. Recent settlements are the bk Matilda to load lumber on the Sound for Honolulu and the ship India to load coal at Nanaimo for this port.

Wheat—Trading on spot continues of a quiet character. Offerings are liberal, many holders being anxious to clear up stocks to avoid the payment of taxes, but shippers generally have sufficient for immediate requirements and hold aloof from the market. No. 1 shipping quoted $1 27½. Options—On the produce exchange the same inactivity is to be noted and little interest is shown in trading. At morning call there was only one sale of 100 tons, buyer year, at $1 30⅝; buyer season closed $1 29¾.

Barley—Notwithstanding liberal offerings on the part of holders and in some cases a disposition to shade rates, there are few buyers in the market, and trading is necessarily of a dull character. Current quotations are 77½c for choice feed and 75c for No. 1. In option trading there is little doing and prices fluctuate within narrow limits. Morning session, buyer year, closed 82¾c; buyer season, closed 76⅛c.

Oats—Business is quiet and the feeling rather weaker owing to excessive offerings; good to choice feed held from $1 25@1 35.

Millstuffs—Demand light and any pressure to sell on the part of holders would cause lower prices.

Potatoes—The market continues firm, and sound stock are in good demand at full prices. Quote; Burbanks, $2@2 35; Garnet Chiles $2 20@2 25 per ctl.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Wheat receipts at the principal Eastern points past 24 hours were 155,000 bushels and shipments were 75,000 bushels.

Wheat—Dull and rather easier. Prices during the days were as follows. Opening—75½c March, 77¾ May. Noon—75⅜c February, 75½c March, 77¾ May. Closing—75¾c February, 75⅝c March, 77⅝c May.

Provisions—Pork, $9 67½ March; lard $5 72½ March; ribs, $4 70 March.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO, Feb. 26.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; strong to a shade higher; beeves, $4 00@5; steers, $3@4 50; stockers and feeders, $2 60@3 70; Texas corn-fed steers, $3@3 85.

Hogs—Receipts, 26,000; a shade lower; light and heavy, $3 80@4 05; mixed, $3 80@4.

Sheep—Receipts, 11,000; slow and 10@15c lower; natives, $3 75@5 80; Western corn-fed, $4 80@5 65; Texans, $3 75@5.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Grain freights to Liverpool, by steamer, 5¼d per bushel. Wheat—The market was about steady at the opening, but eased off later in the day, and closed from ⅛c to ⅜c lower. Prices were as follows: Opening—86½c March, 86⅜c May, 85¼c June. Noon—86⅛c March, 86⅛ May, 85¼c June. Closing—85¾c March, 86c April and May; 85⅛c June.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—Coffee—Options closed steady, 15 points up; sales, 46,750 bags; February, $16 60@16 75; May, $16 30@16 40. Spot Rio, firm; fair cargoes, 20c.

Sugar—Raw, firmer; refined, firm.

Hops—Easy.

Copper—Stagnant; lake, March, $14 50.

Lead—Firm; domestic, $4 87½.

Tin—A shade firmer; straits, $20 65.

Wool—Steady.

Petroleum—Spot opened firm; March weak. Many holders of March option tried to unload on account of the near approach of the delivery period, and broke price 4 cents per barrel. The market closed weak; spot, $1 00½; March, $1 00⅝. Stock Exchange, opening, $1 05, highest $1 05, lowest $1 00⅝, closing $1 00⅝. Consolidated Exchange, opening, $1 04½, highest $1 04½, lowest $1 00¼, closing $1 00½. Total sales, 969,000 barrels.

Bar Silver—95⅝c.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

BEERBOHM GRAIN REPORT.

LONDON, Feb. 26.—Wheat cargoes off coast are firm. Wheat cargoes on passage are quiet but steady. Mark Lane—English and foreign wheat, not much demand. Mark Lane—English and American flour, not many buyers in the market. English country markets are steady.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 26.—Spot wheat, slow. Futures, No. 1 California 7s 2½d February, 7s 2½d March, 7s 1½d April, 7s 1d May, June, July and August, 7s 1½d September.

PARIS, Feb. 26.—French country markets are quiet. Spot wheat and flour, firm.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN MARKET.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 26.—Wheat—Steady; demand, poor; holders offer moderately.

Corn—Quiet and unchanged.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

GENERAL NOTES.

The British ship Patterdale has finished discharging her cargo at the foot of B street.

The British ship River Falloch, now lying at Astoria, has been chartered by C. Cæsar & Co.

The steamer Santa Rosa sailed yesterday at 10 P. M. for San Francisco.

The steam schooner Augusta is lying at the foot of A street, discharging her cargo of lumber.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 26.—Arrived—Bk Highland Light, Seattle; bk Northwest, Port Madison; schr Bertha Dolbear, Tacoma; bk Templar, Seattle; schr Ralph J. Long, ——; ship Louis Walsh, Tacoma. Sailed—Schr Laura Madsen, Port Blakeley; bg T. W. Lucas, Coos bay; ship Baring Brothers, Liverpool; ital bk Maria Teresa, Hamburg; ship Servia, Cork; schr Fanny Dutard, Port Blakeley; ship Ericsson, Valparaiso; Br ship Euphrosyne, Cork.

ASTORIA, Feb. 26.—Bg Tanner passed out 5:30 P. M. yesterday; Bonita arrived down with schr La Gironde at 6 P. M. yesterday. Str Michigan arrived down 9 A. M., passed out 10:30 A. M.; schr La Gironde passed out 10 A. M.

PORT TOWNSEND, Feb. 26.—Arrived—Br Gerald C. Toby, Shanghai; Br bk Archer, Liverpool; bk Oakland and ship India, from San Francisco.

FORT CANBY, Feb. 26.—5 P. M., weather clear, wind east; bar smooth.

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9:30 A. M.	3:40 P. M.	8:12 A. M.	2:40 P. M.
10:10 A. M.	5:20 P. M.	9:23 A. M.	4:29 P. M.
12:30 A. M.	6:20 P. M.	11:06 A. M.	5:15 P. M.
	8:35 P. M.		7:20 P. M.

LEAVE PORTLAND.		LEAVE OSWEGO.	
7:45 A. M.	3:40 P. M.	6:03 A. M.	1:12 P. M.
10:10 A. M.	6:20 P. M.	7:48 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
12:30 P. M.	8:35 P. M.	10:55 A. M.	7:10 P. M.

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State	Mar.	2	Oregon	Mar.	1
Oregon	"	6	Santa Rosa	"	5
Santa Rosa	"	10	State	"	9
State	"	14	Oregon	"	13
Oregon	"	18	Columbia	"	17
Columbia	"	22	State	"	21
State	"	26	Oregon	"	25
Oregon	"	30	Columbia	"	29

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Lv. Elma	8:30 A. M.	Lv. Elma	10:45 A. M.
Ar. Montesano	9:00 A. M.	Ar. Kamilchie	12:15 P. M.
Lv. Kamilchie	1:00 P. M.	Lv. Montesano	3:30 P. M.
Ar. Elma	2:00 P. M.	Ar. Elma	4:00 P. M.
Lv. Elma	2:15 P. M.	Lv. Elma	4:15 P. M.
Ar. Montesano	2:45 P. M.	Ar. Kamilchie	5:30 P. M.

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Steamer City of Topeka—March 8, April 7, May 7, June 6, July 7, August 5, September 4.

Steamer G. W. Elder—March 23, April 22, May 22, June 21, July 21, August 20, September 19.

Steamer Queen—June 1, 16; July 1, 16, 31; August 15, 30.

Leave Tacoma, 4 A. M.; Seattle, 9 A. M.; Port Townsend and Victoria; P. M.

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7:00 A. M.	2:40 P. M.	9:00 A. M.	4:00
8:30 A. M.	3:30 P. M.	10:30 A. M.	4:50
10:00 A. M.	4:20 P. M.	12:00 A. M.	6:15
11:30 A. M.	5:45 P. M.	1:30 P. M.	11:30
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PORTLAND, THURSDAY, FEB. 27.

U. S. SIGNAL SERVICE WEATHER REPORT.

PORTLAND, Or., Feb. 26, 1890.

Place of Observation.	Hight of Bar.	Ch'ge last 12 hours	Temp.	Wind direction.	Rain fall inch	State of Weather.
Portland	30.26	06	26	E	.00	Cloudi'ss
Olympia	30.34	.08	28	N	.00	PtyCl'dy
Roseburg	30.32	10	32	NW	.00	Cloudi'ss
Red Bluff	30.18	18	40	NW	.00	Cloudi'ss
Sacramento	30.08	10	44	NW	.00	Cloudi'ss
Port Angeles	30.39	04	24	S	.00	Cloudy
Spokane	30.56		2	S	.00	Cloudy
Walla Walla	30.56		8	S	.00	Cloudi'ss
Fort Canby	30.34	10	30	SE	.00	Cloudi'ss

Local Report.

Pacific Coast Time	Bar.	Temp.	Rel'e. Hum.	Dr'ctn of Wind	Veloc'ity of Wind	Rain.	W'thr
5 A. M.	30.30	12	91	E	11	.00	C'dl's
5 P. M.	30.36	26	72	E	6	.00	C'dl's

Maximum temperature, 30; minimum temperature, 9.7; hight of river, 2.3 ft. Change, —1.

Total precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 37.54; average precipitation from July 1, 1889, to date, 36.29; excess in precipitation from July 1, 1889, 1.25 inches.

AMUSEMENTS THIS EVENING.

MARQUAM GRAND—SHENANDOAH. 8 P. M.

NEW PARK THEATER—OUR HEROES. 8 P. M.

CORDRAY'S—HIDDEN HAND. 7:50 P. M.

CYCLORAMA—GETTYSBURG.

CORT'S STANDARD THEATER—VAUDEVILLE.

CLINTON'S THEATER ROYAL—VAUDEVILLE.

OREGONIANA.

New coal leads have been struck in the vicinity of Fossil and a showing in this line in the near future is expected. There is no question but a vast bed of coal underlies this region and eventually will be developed in due form.

It has been estimated that the damage by the flood to Douglas county as far south as Rice hill and west to Scottsburg will be about $2500. This, it is thought, will include repairing the stage road from Drain to Scottsburg.

The Albany *Herald* says that on the Oregon Pacific there are three washouts between Gates and Breitenbush, and an enormous drift at the large cribwork eleven miles above Gates. Engineers of the company sent out to estimate the damage say that a force of 100 men can repair the road within ten days. Beyond the end of the track about 2000 feet of the new grade is washed away. The damage to the road is not heavy. The hotel at Coe is still running, and also the store. A car containing the engineers' provisions at Coe has been broken into twice by unknown parties, and considerable goods stolen. The company it is said will prosecute the offenders.

Clinton Pennington, convicted of murder, whose appeal for a new trial the Oregon supreme court recently refused, has made the following appeal to the citizens of Baker county: I am innocent of the charge that is against me, and for which I shall have to sacrifice my future life, and can establish the fact if I was allowed the privilege of so doing. Any man can be charged with crime, and convicted thereof, if he is rendered defenseless as I have been. It is pretty hard to be deprived of your future life and to part from your many friends and relatives very dear to you. I leave my aged mother, homeless and nobody to care for her in her old days, to worry and mourn for me for something which I am innocent of. I am thankful beyond expression for the assistance the honorable residents of Baker city have rendered in my behalf.

Steamboat captains who have attempted to navigate the upper river since the big flood, says the Salem *Statesman*, report the discovery of many changes in the channel and say that it is now a difficult task to go to Harrisburg. Between Corvallis and Harrisburg the changes have been numerous and it is thought at a common stage boats can do nothing between those two points before the government does some revetment and other work there. All along the river the channel has been subjected to change. During the flood there was a swift current on the Marion county side which made its presence known in the vicinity of Water street by cutting away at places a good many feet of the street. A few miles north of Salem, on the east bank of the river, a good many acres were swallowed up. But these are only instances. The change has been as great all along the river as here.

WASHINGTONIANA.

During a dispute Sunday at Hoquiam a man named Moore seriously stabbed a man named Moseley. Moore was locked up to await the result of the injuries.

The steamer Discovery, belonging to the Port Discovery Mills Company, lost 100,000 feet of lumber Sunday night last at Deception Pass, by the barges swamping.

It is estimated that the loss of cattle in Yakima county will be about 25 per cent. Most of the stock men lost about 10 per cent. in the feed yard. This was owing less to the severity of the weather than to the fact that the cattle entered the winter in the poorest condition known for many years. The promises for the coming year are excellent, as the stock will luxuriate and grow fat on abundant grasses.

The Seattle *Journal* very properly says there is one thing in which the general government is doing this section great injustice, and that is in allowing necessary surveys to remain uncompleted. The making of surveys which would throw a vast amount of country open to settlement has nothing intangible or chimerical about it. The people are waiting to take up the land. In many instances they have already taken possession, but can get no title until the surveys are made. The work must be done sooner or later, and the government gains nothing by deferring it, while through the delay the settler and the country are both injured.

A New Version.

"Jonah was swallowed by an earthquake," says a sapient editor. "Then it was not a fish, but a fissure," remarked Burdette, "that did the business." Apropos of Biblical, or rather secular matters, we quote from a recent essay of Rev. F. R. Osgood, of New York, who says: "Dr. Tutt's Pills are a special blessing, they cured me of dyspepsia, weak stomach and nervousness." No matter about Jonah's case, if any of our readers are troubled like the reverend gentleman above, let them find relief as he did.

Atlantic Ocean Travel.

For rates and steamer reservations call at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

For European steamship accomodations, Pullman sleeping car reservations and tickets to all points in the United States, Canada and Europe call on G. S. Taylor, City Ticket Agent Union Pacific Railway, 81 First street, corner Oak.

THE REV. GEORGE H. THAYER, of Bourbon, Ind., says: "Both myself and wife owe our lives to Shiloh's Consumption Cure." Blumauer & Co. Druggists.

Take the Northern Pacific railroad, the best equipped line, for all points East. Office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

Kidd's Cough Syrup costs a quarter. Will cure coughs, colds and sore throat.

MEETING NOTICES.

Council No. 1, Veteran Firemen's Association.—Regular meeting of the board of directors this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30.
W. H. SEWELL, Sec'y.

Washington Chapter No. 18, R. A. M.—There will be a special convocation of this chapter at Masonic Hall, East Portland, this (Thursday) evening. Work in the M. M. degree. By order of the high priest.
J. R. HANSON, Secretary.

Tammany Attention! Tammany braves are called to meet at the wigwam, 137½ First street, at 7:30 o'clock to-night, February 27. Regular meeting. Business of importance.
F. A. E. STARR, President.
M. M. HARRIS, Secretary.

Company C, Attention! Company Order No. 6.—This company will assemble at their armory at 6:50 o'clock P. M., Friday, Feb. 28, 1890.
By order of M. G. BUTTERFIELD, Captain.
Attest: A. E. STERR, 1st Serg't.
Portland, Or., Feb. 26, 1890.

Royal and Select Masters.—A special assembly of Washington Council, No. 3, R. and S. M., will be held at Masonic Hall, East Portland, this (Thursday) evening, Feb. 27, 1890. A full attendance is earnestly solicited. By order of
G. O. BLAKELY, Deputy Master.
J. L. SPERRY, Recorder.

Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association No. 41.—There will be a special meeting of the above association Saturday evening, March 1, at 7 o'clock sharp. All brothers are specially requested to be present, as business of importance will come before the order. By order of committee.
WM. LEWIS, Chairman.

MARRIED.

At the Revere house, in this city, on the 26th inst., by Rev. John Gordon, D. D., Mr. J. B. Bangs of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. S. B. Judkins of Portland.

DIED.

Near Junction, Or., January 27, 1890, of paralysis of the heart, Lewis Dennis, born in Essex county, N. J., February 24, 1820. Crossed the plains to Oregon in 1850.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Died, at her residence in Grass Valley, Clarke county, at 10 yesterday morning, Miss Annie Sweeney.

The funeral services will be held at Vancouver cathedral Friday, February 28, 10 A. M.

Geo. H. River, Undertaker and Embalmer, S. W. cor. 4th and Yamhill. Telephone 507.

Schwab Bros., Printing and Litho. Co. Lowest Prices. 112 and 114 Front st.

Board by the meal, day, week, month and dish at the Magnolia Restaurant.

NEW TO-DAY.

BARBER WANTED. GILMAN BATHS, 9 Alder street. 27tf*

H. B. LITT WILL NOTE HIS SPRING IMportations on Sunday. 27tf*

FRESH OREGON LARD AT RANIER MARket. T. J. UHLMAN, Proprietor. 8oct*

NEW PIANOS FOR RENT AT THE KOHLER & CHASE MUSIC HOUSE, 71 Morrison street.

TYPEWRITING CHEAP—128 FIRST ST., REAL Estate Exchange, Tele. 505, Central Bureau.

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FOR SALE WITHIN 6 DAYS—13 LOTS IN Astoria at reduced price. Call at 45 North 3d st.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD GOODS or approved security. G. R. DEDMAN, 92 2d st.

FOR SALE—CORNER LOT, GOOD COTTAGE, North Portland; $3500. L. E. THOMPSON & CO. 18tf*

TO EXCHANGE—A GOOD FARM FOR PORTland or East Portland city property. Apply 92 Second st. 20tf

TWO CHOICE LOTS IN LINNTON FOR $37.50 each. Inquire J. J. JOHNSON & CO., 167 First street, city. 25tf*

COOK STOVES—$7, $10, $12, AT O'REILLY'S, Third and Morrison sts. Crockery and lamps to suit the times. 26otf*

FOR SALE—GOOD COTTAGE AND BARN; corner lot; business property; $4000. L. E. THOMPSON & CO. 18tf*

FOR RENT—IN PRIVATE FAMILY, ELEgantly furnished front parlor bedroom. Apply 193 West Park; corner Taylor. 1*

RENTS COLLECTED AND COLLECTIONS guaranteed; 5 per cent. commission. Western Oregon Land & Investment Co. 32tf*

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES; BASE LINE ROAD; house, barn; all under cultivation; $10,000; easy terms. L. E. THOMPSON & CO. 18tf*

FOR SALE—700 CORDS FIR WOOD, 3½ miles east of railroad bridge. German Immigration Association, 25 Stark street. 1*

FOR SALE—DYE WORKS IN THE CITY; doing a good business; large profits. German Immigration Association, 25 Stark street. 1*

FOR SALE—BLOCK E, IN THE PATTON Tract, two blocks from the motor line, $2000. E. J. HYLAND & CO., 124½ First street. 76f3*

THE LADIES OF LINCOLN RELIEF CORPS No. 19 will give another of their enjoyable socials this evening at G. A. R. hall, 1st and Taylor. 1*

FOR SALE—5 ACRES WITH HOUSE AND barn; all cleared, running water; 3 miles from town, $2500. E. J. HYLAND & CO., 124½ First st.

R. A. ANDERSON, WHOLESALE CANDY manufacturer, No. 324 First st., bet. Clay and Market. Country orders solicited. Telephone 412. *

FOR SALE—80 ACRES AT COOS BAY, ON line of railroad; good farming land, well watered; $3 per acre. E. J. HYLAND & CO., 124½ First st.

A SPEC—A FINE QUARTER BLOCK FACING north and east on Corbett st., for sale cheap for cash; for a few days only. WEST & STEARNS, 12 Stark st. 18t,tf

FOR RENT—A FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE WITH bath and furniture for sale at a bargain; dont miss this chance. BACON & McBRIDE, 72 Washington street. 20f2r

WANTED—A GROUND FLOOR OFFICE OR small store, First, Second, Third, Washington or Morrison sts. preferred. Address Thomas, care Oregonian. 26f3

FOR SALE—THE NEW FURNITURE OF A 9-room house and house for rent; centrally located. Call soon for a bargain. BACON & McBRIDE, 72 Washington st. 24f4r

EAST PORTLAND—A BARGAIN ON SIXTH street, 100x100, feet near the business center; price only $7000. Apply to F. V. Andrews & Co., 25 Pine street. 26f 3*

THE CALIGRAPH TYPE-WRITER—WILEY B. Allen & Co. 211 First st., general agents. Machines rented and repaired. Sold on installments. Supplies of all kinds. 22f2&su*tf

REMOVAL—O'REILLY'S STOVE STORE WILL remove about March 10, to 246 First st., bet. Main and Madison, where they will be pleased to see all their old customers. 21f-tf*

$5500. 7¾ ACRES ADJOINING PITTENger's addition to Albina on the south, suitable for platting. W. G. STEEL & CO. 141 Morrison st., Portland, Or. 16tf

FOR SALE—THE SPLENDID FURNITURE OF a 10-room first-class rooming house, centrally located, at a bargain for $700; rent of house $50 per month. REED & SIBRAY, 72 Washington st. 1*

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS PIANO PLAYER, either lady or gentleman; one who can sing preferred; a good job for the right person. Apply to the Albina White House, Williams av., cor. Grant st., Albina, Or. 26f*tf

A NICE HOME—1¼ ACRES ON PORTLAND Heights, 6 blocks from cable cars, with house, barn and other improvements, for $3600, on terms to suit purchaser. Apply to J. D. Wilcox & Co., 54 Washington st. 26f 3*

200 ACRES LAND, 8 MILES FROM COURThouse, near West Portland Park; $55 per acre; easy terms; one of the best bargains in the market; land selling close by for $100 per acre. 49½ First street. 25f 2r

$3200—HOUSE 7 ROOMS AND LOT ONE block of Albina school, Joins Williams ave. one block of Russell st., $2200 cash, balance 4 years time, 6½ per cent. HUGHES, BROWN & CO., 72 Washington. 25f3r

$10,500 FOR A 10-ROOM RESIDENCE, with all modern improvements, on B st., near 16th; faces the Washington st. car line; 1 lot fine location; very desirable property. W. G. STEEL & CO., 141 Morrison st., Portland, Or. 13tf,

IMPORTED SWISS CHEESE, CREAM, LIMburger and Roquefort Cheese, German Pickles, Saurkraut, Eingemachte Herrings, Kosher Smoked Meats, Tongues, Sausages, Fancy Delicacies and Groceries. MRS M. BAUM, 86 Morrison st.

WHEATLAND LOTS, $100 ONLY, $5 down and $5 per month; no interest; all cleared; high, level; near motor line; 5 cents fare. Also, near stores, schools, church, etc. Best buy in the market. G. W. McCoy, 10 Stark st., upstairs, Portland, Oregon. *

20 ACRES READY FOR PLATTING. ONLY ½ MILE FROM CABLE line, on this side of the river; all clear; 10 acres of it in fine orchard, with good house and barn; a rare chance and good bargain. HENRY ACKERMAN, 1 Washington st., cor. Front. 1*

BOUNTY LAND WARRANTS.—2200 ACRES of Mexican war bounty land warrants, which can be located on any surveyed government lands at $2.50 per acre; a good chance for timber land locators. Apply to J. D. Wilcox & Co., stock brokers, 54 Washington street. 26f 3*

GOOD HEALTH PAYS. FOR NERVOUS, weak men never make money or enjoy life. Electricity streaming into the body all night from Dr Sill's famous Electric Belt, with suspensory, makes you a man, mentally and physically. Perfect health in 10 days. See Dr. Sill, First National Bank Building, or Skidmore & Co., Druggists. 4ftu,th,tf*

TO GEORGE GOOD, W. S. LADD, F. E. BEACH, Henry Failing, Fleishner, Mayer & Co. and others: Gentlemen—Appreciating the honor you have done me by requesting that I become a candidate for the office of school director, I beg to say that after much hesitation and taking time to consider the matter, I have concluded to avail myself of your kind offer of support, and if elected will, to the best of my ability, faithfully discharge the duties of director. Respectfully, J. N. TEAL.
Portland, Or., Feb. 21, 1890. 23f10*

A MEETING OF THE CITIZENS OF PORTland is called to attend at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, New Market block, First street, between Ash and Ankeny, at 8 o'clock this evening, to arrange for the reception of the distinguished Irish patriot, poet, editor and orator, John Boyle O'Reilly, who will deliver a lecture at New Arion hall, northeast corner of Second and Ash streets, on March 18. A cordial invitation is extended to all: D. M. Dunne, E. D. McKee, W. J. Kelly, Hon. J. M. Gearin, Daniel Holton, Hon. John Kelly, John F. O'Shea, James Baldwin, Thomas A. Jordan, John Barrett, Thomas A. Sutherland, B. O'Hara, H. E. McGinn, R. W. Mitchell, P. L. Owens, Hon. T. M. Richardson, James Foley, Frank McDermott, Thomas Whalen, John O'Conner, M. E. Freeman, Dave Shanahan, W. J. Sheehy, M. G. Munly, J. M. Baltimore, Ernest Bross. 1*

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Prescription Druggist, 3d and Morrison. Telephone 499. Orders by mail receive prompt attention.

FOR SCHOOL CLERK
Thanking my friends for their support heretofore, I again announce myself a candidate for school clerk at the coming election. (44,tf) H. S. ALLEN.

FOR ALBINA PROPERTY GO TO Thompson Bros, Albina. *

HIGHLAND PARK—Lots 50x100, all cleared, $10 cash, $10 monthly; see ad., 7th page.

WOLFE'S—FRONT AND STARK, PUTS up the daintiest box of candies in this city 25f7r

FOR SALE—ONE QUARTER BLOCK; ELEgant view; South Portland; 3750. L. E. THOMPSON & CO. 18tf*

HIGHLAND PARK—Should be seen to be appreciated; see ad., 7th page.

POOR MEN GET RICH ONLY BY THE closest economy. Board at the Riverside, East Portland.

FAT MEN AND LEAN MEN CAN GET the best shave at the Congress Tonsorial Parlors, 10 Stark. 1*

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TO EXCHANGE—OAKLAND, CAL., improved inside city property for Portland property. Apply G. R. Dedman, 92 Second street. 9f,tf

HIGHLAND PARK—Nearest lots to Portland on installment plan; see ad., 7th page.

DR. E. A. JONES.—ROOMS 35 AND 36 Washington Block, Fourth and Washington. Diseases of women a specialty. Office hours: 9 to 12 A. M., 1 to 4, 6 to 8 P. M.

HIGHLAND PARK—Elegant spot for homes call for a free fare; see ad., 7th page.

FOR BARGAINS IN CITY AND SUburban property and choice acreage, suitable for platting, call and see BACON & McBRIDE, 72 Washington. 13f15*

WOOD OF ALL KINDS AT THE Pioneer Wood Yard, foot of Morrison st. Telephone 189. MOORE & STAUB.

SEE HERE! 15 LBS. GRANULATED sugar for $1; flour, per sack $1; best tomatoes, per doz., $1. Everything at lowest prices; give us a trial order. Cash Grocery 134 Washington st. 23,tf

FUEL—THE ONLY PLACE IN THE city where a full supply of all kinds of coals and wood are kept, at Union Fuel Co.'s, yard Seventh and H. Telephone 65. 18*tf

MONEY TO LOAN AT THE LOWest rates of interest obtainable upon the security of improved property in the city or country. Apply to F. V. ANDREWS & CO., 25 Pine st. 23f,tf*

COAL—KEEP YOUR "BEAGLE HI" on O. P. Tompkins. Coal at the lowest rate. Office at Occidental Hotel, cor. First and Morrison sts. Prompt delivery every time. Telephone 578. 14otf*

ACRES ON LINE WOODstock motor line, $300 per acre; easy terms. CLUNE, REES & CO., 110 Second street. 25ftr

Fare 5 Cents TO THE PENINSULAR Addition, where lots are selling, for $100, on the installment plan.
SHERMAN D. BROWN, 13 Morrison st.

$3000—HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS, LOT 30x100, on Twelfth st., near 3 car lines.
2600—Very desirable ¼ block in Holladay's Addition, on 14th st.
2500—Nice ¼ block in Holladay's Addition; on Seventh st., near school house.
26f2* See M. C. THOMPSON, 6 Stark st.

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HIGHLAND PARK—Ainsworth av. 80 feet wide, through center; see ad., 7th page.

$750—FIVE ACRES SIX MILES EAST OF river.
$1100—One-fourth block near electric motor, Tibbett's addition, East Portland.
$2000—Lot on Second street near Falling school.
$3000—New 5-room house and corner lot on Corbett street.
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LOSS OR LACK OF MANHOOD, HOWever induced (recent or chronic) permanently restored by Dr. de Freyo (att'g in person) member of Society of Physicians of France late Professor of Surgery (4 diplomas), well-known specialist for chronic and delicate diseases of both sexes, consults free in all modern languages. Office, corner First and Pine streets; entrance, Pine. Hours, 10 to 4 daily, 7 to 9 evenings. Correspondence. P. O. lock box 829. 15 1m*

JIM OLSEN
The carpenter, is again in business at the foot of Taylor street. 25f4*t

FOR SALE.
$9000—8-room house; lot 100x100; terms easy. Telfer & Stearns Real Estate Co., 33 Stark st. 17f4*

10 ACRES
In little homes, No. 2, at a great bargain. Call at Colvin & Smith, room 7, N. W. cor. First and Alder.

PORT TOWNSEND HEADQUARTERS
At 24 Washington st. Choice acreage and lots in best locations; easy terms and prices. LONG & ELKINS. 26tf,

TWO LOTS
In Central Albina, on installments; terms easy; prices reasonable. Colvin & Smith, room 7, N. W. cor. First and Alder streets. 27f4*

TELEPHONE IN
To Miller & Humprey at the corner of Fourth and Stark for the finest hacks and coupes. The leading liverymen. 1*

QUARTER BLOCK
With three houses, in South Portland for sale at a bargain. PARRISH, WATKINS & CORNELL, 48 Washington street. 27f3*

CAVOUR RESTAURANT
Do you want a good French or Italian dinner with ha f bottle of good California claret for 25c? 193 Third st., near Taylor. 25f4*

PORT TOWNSEND.
A few excellent bargains in acreage to be had only until the 4th of March. OREGON & WASHINGTON LAND CO., 52 First street. 27f6*

FOR SALE.
Full lot and modern cottage on East Park street, pleasantly situated, for a few days at a bargain; also furniture in the house if desired. FRAZER, SMITH & CO., 166 First st. 22f4*

1890—SPRING—1890
Latest novelties for spring and summer wear arrived at J. POLIVKA & CO.'S, 28 Washington st. 23f7*

10 ACRES
Of choice, level land near the city, on improved county road, for $350 per acre. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington street. 27f2*

UNION CITY.
The coming city on Hood's canal, on the line of the Port Townsend Southern Railroad; large lots; prices $75 to $500. OREGON & WASHINGTON LAND CO., 52 First street. 27f5*

BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE LOTS
In Holladay's Addition on Second and Third streets; this is the handsomest property on the East Side; also nice lots in Southern Portland, sold on easy terms. LONG & ELKINS, 24 Washington st. 26tf*

COTTAGE HOUSE
And beautiful corner lot, very central, in East Portland, at a bargain. LONG & ELKINS, 27f2* 24 Washington st.

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Lots, blocks and acreage in, and contiguous to Port Townsend. Prices will advance as soon as work begins on railroad, which will be soon. Buy now! OREGON & WASHINGTON LAND CO. Peter French Manager, 52 First st. 15f*tf

RESIDENCE FOR SALE.
$5000 will buy a well-arranged house, facing east on Seventh street near Jefferson, containing nine conveniences, with lot 25x100 feet.
PARRISH, WATKINS & CORNELL,
48 Washington street.

FOR SALE.
Two-story house and lot, King's Addition, $8090.
House and lot, East Portland, $4000.
Four lots in Sullivan's Addition.
Several lots in North Portland.
Several lots in Southern Portland.
Several lots in Albina.
Two lots on Mill street, city.
Two quarter blocks, East Portland.
Lots in Midway and Sellwood.
Improved lots in Milwaukie.
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19f10* 166 First street.

LAST CHANCE.
A splendid opportunity for any one to invest in acre property to lay off in town lots. A 20-acre tract, only ½ of a mile from the O. D. Co's docks at Yaquina City, Or. This is a rare chance, being the only acre property to be had near Yaquina City. The above piece is to be located within the next 6 days. Call now and secure an acre or more. Call on or address GREATZ & BABCOCK, 1160 Fourth street, 25f4r East Portland.

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No Interest!
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Fare 5 Cents!
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Store, school, church, pure water in front of every lot, view unexcelled. It costs you nothing to see and investigate.

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Got free tickets by calling on BORTHWICK, BATTY & CO.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE
—OF—
Elegant Household Furniture & Piano
We are instructed to sell by auction at the residence,
NO. 147 EIGHTH STREET
West Side, bet. Alder and Morrison, on
Thursday, Feb. 27, at 10 O'clock A. M.

If not previously disposed of, the entire fine furniture of residence, comprising in part Parlor Furniture, fine Moquette Carpets in double parlors, handsome Parlor Suit in Raw Silk complete, upholstered Easy Chairs and Rockers, fine Upright Piano, Ebony Tables, Walnut Center Tables, Walnut Book Cases, Cabinet, Library Table in walnut, handsome Lounge, elegant French Plate Mantel Mirror, gold frame; Wakefield Chairs and Rockers, Boquet Stands, etc. Also Hall and Stair Carpets, Hall Stand and Lamp, fine solid Walnut Extension Table, Dining Chairs, Walnut Sideboard, marble top. Also Bedroom Furniture, handsome complete Walnut and Marble-Top Bedroom Suits, five Walnut three-quarter Bedsteads, five Clipper and Curled Hair Mattresses, Wardrobe, Feather Pillows, Bedding, Bureau, Walnut Cheffonier, Walnut English Breakfast Table. Also fine Body Brussels Carpets in bed rooms and halls. Also Range with heater, complete with fixtures and line of kitchen furniture, granite ware, etc., Gas Fixtures.
GILMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

N. B.—This sale affords an excellent opportunity for buyers of fine furniture, as everything is first-class.

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THE UNDERTAKERS,
Have Removed Temporarily to
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Between Second and Third, two doors back of their old stand.

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To N. E. Cor. Second and Ash Streets.
HARDWARE,
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Be sure you get it, as other kinds are often substituted. The only stock in the market for sale by
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[illegible] Part cash and part on time, buys forty acre pieces of land near Oregon's thriving towns.
EMPIRE LAND CO.,
74 Morrison st.

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The P. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Dolphin will sail for the above port Saturday morning, receiving freight Thursday and Friday foot of C street. F. R. STRONG, President.

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Steamer Augusta will receive freight until Tuesday, March 4, at A street dock.
M. L. COHN & CO., Agents.

BUY : THE : BEST : PROPERTY
The very best property is Holladay's Addition. Inquire the Oregon Real Estate Co., 3 Morrison st.

WHEN + YOU + BUY + ANY
TRUCKS!
Swivel and Goose-Neck Trucks, from two to four tons capacity, constantly on hand. Of the latest designs. Send for price lists.
NORTH PACIFIC MFG. CO.,
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For Tillamook.
Steam schooner "Louise Olsen" is now receiving freight at Pacific wharf.
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WEST PORTLAND.
The beauty and cheapness of these $150, $200 and $300 lots catches everybody; payable $10 down and $10 per month. Inquire T. A. Wood, room 1, Odd Fellows' Building. 19f*tf

S[illegible] TAKES A QUARTER BLK. overlooking the city, if taken immediately.
CLUNE, REES & CO.,
110 Second st.

AKIN, S[illegible] WRITER, 107 2d.

HIGHLAND PARK—15 minutes' ride on Vancouver motor line; see ad., 7th page.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

WOOD TURNING, CARVING AND BAND sawing at East Side Mill. 13f14

FOR PRIVATE DETECTIVE WORK ADDRESS Portland Secret Service, lock box 474. 23f7

THE BEST PILLS I EVER USED ARE CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

WOVEN WIRE SPRING BEDS, GEORGE M. PARKER, 181 Fifth st. Trade supplied. 4autf

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STORAGE OF ANY DESCRIPTION CAN BE had reasonable at Pacific dock, No. 226 and 228 Front st. 1stf

DRUNKENNESS, or the liquor habit, positively cured by Dr. Haines' Golden Specific. Druggists.

PRIVATE HOME FOR LADIES DURING CONfinement by Mrs. H. Muller, 87 Third street, bet. Stark and Oak. 40dtf

CLAIRVOYANT—MRS. J. W. MINES, BUSIness reading a specialty. 181½ First st., room 11.

COLLEGE OF OCCULT SCIENCE—ALL phases of medial power unfolded; classes now forming, consultation free. Parlors 12, 13, 14, No. 259½ First st. MAJOR C. NEWELL, Pres't. MRS FLORA A. BROWN, Assistant. 30J1m

SPECIAL NOTICES—Continued.

CLAIRVOYANT—MME. TEITSWORTH, NATural Seer and Clairvoyant Fortune Teller. 23 years' experience. 247½ First st., Rooms 1 & 2. 13tf

HENRY WOLFF, IMPORTER OF WATCH MAterial, tools, optical goods and musical boxes, Rooms 5 and 6, 120 Sutter st., San Francisco. 1ntf

BY MENTIONING THE OREGONIAN, DR. Schenck's new book on Lungs, Liver and Stomach mailed free. Address Dr. J. H. Schenck, Phila., Pa.

MRS. E. DE PRANS, TEACHER OF CHRIStian Science, 233 Ninth st., cor. Main. Office hours 10 A. M. to 1 P. M. Class hour, 2 P. M. 24Jtf

MADAME CALDWELL, CLAIRVOYANT AND magnetic healer; reads past and future. 271½ First st., room 3. 26f7

SCHOOL of Civil, Mechanical, Mining Engineering, Surveying, Arch't, Assay, 723 Market, San Francisco, Cal. A. VAN DER NAILLEN. Circular.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION — THE COPARTnership heretofore existing between W. L. Diel and Phil Yager is this day dissolved by the withdrawal of W. L. Diel. 25f3

REWARD—I WILL GIVE A REWARD OF TEN dollars for the arrest and conviction of any person caught stealing the Daily or Sunday Oregonian south of Alder st. 24n D. J. MOORE, Route Ag't.

MEDIUM—MRS. FLORA A. BROWN, NATURal medium, gives life readings. No cards, no questions; business a specialty; satisfaction guaranteed or no charges made. Parlors 12 and 13, 259½ First st.

MRS. SOPHIA SEIP WILL GIVE PSYCHOmetric delineations from intuitional or soul plane; hours, 11 to 5, 7 to 9; instructions in occultism by letter. 113 First st. 16 tf

REGULAR SIZES OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDings, etc., in stock, and special sizes made on short notice at East Side Mill Co., on block north of railroad bridge East Portland. 13f14

SALVAGE—ROW BOATS, SAIL BOATS, PONtoons, carried away by recent flood; a liberal reward will be paid for recovery of the above. Address C. B. CARDINELL, location foot Stark st., Portland, Oregon. 1f1m

JOHN THOMPSON & CO. HAVE BEEN APpointed agents for the purchase of raw stock for the Columbia River Paper Co., and are prepared to purchase, for cash, Rags, Burlaps, Manilla Rope and all other kinds of paper stock, Old Iron and Metal of all kinds, S. E. cor. Ninth and D sts. 4autf

NOTICE—I HAVE THIS DAY BOUGHT THE interest of F. Gran in the firm of Neimeyer & Gran, and will continue the business at 122 Third st., collecting all outstanding accounts and paying all bills. G. NEIMEYER.
February 24, 1890. 26f3

NOTICE — THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD hereby announce that their arrangements with Mr. W. T. Atwood have expired by limitation, and that Mr. E. Detrick, Jr., has been appointed manager of their Portland branch, and he alone is authorized to receive and receipt for moneys due the house.
AMES & DETRICK.
Portland, Or., Feb. 3, 1890. 4f30

COUNTERS, SHELVING, WOOD MANTLES and all kinds of store, bank and office fixtures. East Side Mill Co., P. O. box 502, East Portland. Send for plans and estimates. 13f14

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ARlington Mining Company.—The adjourned annual meeting of the above company, for the election of officers for the ensuing year, the question of filing supplementary articles of incorporation papers, and such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, No. 195 First street, Portland, Or., at 8 P. M. Thursday, February 27, 1890. W. K. SMITH, President.
JONATHAN BOURNE, Jr., Secretary.
February 14, 1890. 15od

MEETING NOTICE — NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the annual meeting of the taxpayers of School District No. 1, Multnomah county, Oregon, will be held at the court house in said county, on Monday, March 3, 1890, at 7:30 P. M. The business of the meeting will be to consider the reports of the directors and clerk and to levy a tax for the support and maintenance of the schools of the district for the ensuing year, and to dispose of such other business as may legally come before it. By order of the directors. H. S. ALLEN, School Clerk.
Feb. 21, 1890. 21f3

TO ARCHITECTS—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at their February, 1890, adjourned term, to be held March 20, 1890, the Board of Commissioners of Snohomish County, Wash., will receive plans and specifications for a courthouse, to be built of brick, with stone foundation, to cost not less than $18,000, nor more than $22,000. Said plans and specifications to be filed with the County Auditor on or before March 20, 1890, at 1 o'clock P. M. Each person so submitting plans is requested to state price to be charged for such set of plans and specifications in case it be adopted by the Board. The right is reserved to reject any or all plans submitted. By order of the Board. FRED H. LYSONS, County Auditor.
27f10

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—NOtice is hereby given to stockholders of the North Pacific History Company of Portland, Oregon, that the annual meeting of stockholders of said company will be held at room 44, Washington Block, corner of Washington and Fourth streets, Portland, Or., on Wednesday, the second day of April, 1890, at 1:30 P. M., for the purpose of electing six directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before the meeting. All stockholders are requested to be present or to be represented by proxies.
DANA H. THOMAS, Sec.
Portland, Oregon, Feb. 25, 1890. 26f3

PROPOSALS FOR FRESH BEEF AND MUTton. Headquarters Dept. of the Columbia, office of Chief Commissary, Vancouver Barracks, Wash., Feb 24, 1890. Sealed proposals in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office and at the offices of the Acting Commissaries of Subsistence at the following named posts (for the fresh beef and mutton required at those posts only) until 12 o'clock noon on Monday, March 24, 1890 at which time and place they will be opened in the presence of bidders, for furnishing and delivery of fresh beef and mutton during the year commencing July 1, 1890:—Boise Barracks, I. T.; Fort Canby, Wash.; Fort Sherman, I. T.; Fort Klamath, Oregon; Fort Spokane, Wash.; Fort Townsend, Wash.; Vancouver Barracks, Wash.; Fort Walla Walla, Wash. The government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bidders will understand the contracts made under this advertisement, and proposals made in response thereto shall not be construed to involve the United States in any obligation for payment in excess of the appropriation granted by Congress for the purpose. Blank proposals and printed circulars stating the kind of beef and mutton required and giving full instructions as to the manner of bidding, conditions to be observed by bidders, and terms of contract and payment, will be furnished on application to this office or to the A. C. S. at the several posts. Envelopes containing proposals should be marked, "Proposals for Fresh Beef (or Mutton) at ——" and addressed to the undersigned, or to the Acting Commissary of Subsistence at the several posts. W. H. NASH, Captain and C. S., U. S. A., Chief C. S. D. C.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon—Edward H. Pardee and George Howes, as Trustees for the Bondholders of the bonds of the Oregonian Railway Company, Limited, Complainants, vs. The Oregonian Railway Company, Limited; Charles N. Scott, as receiver of the property of the Oregonian Railway Company, Limited; The Oregon Western Railroad Company; The Oregon Railway & Navigation Company; The Lewis & Dryden Printing Company, William S. Powell, David P. Thompson, Edward N. Deuly, George T. Lent, Jasper C. McGrew, R. P. Earhart and H. L. Fenton, Defendants.

MASTER'S NOTICE.

Pursuant to a decree of the above entitled court, rendered in said cause on the 6th day of February, 1890, all persons holding or owning any certificate, voucher, pay check, account current, or other evidence of Receiver Charles N. Scott's indebtedness, as such receiver—which is not set forth in the answer of any defendant as a creditor of said receiver in this suit—are hereby notified, warned and required to present the same to the undersigned, Master in Chancery of said court, at room 16, Portland Savings Bank Building, in Portland, State of Oregon within thirty days from February 18th, 1890, to wit: on or before March 20th, 1890, to the end that the same may be audited, and, if found correct, allowed and presented to the court for payment.

Parties holding such evidences of said receiver's indebtedness are requested to promptly present the same. GEORGE H. DURHAM, Master in Chancery.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR SALE—HALF INTEREST IN SECONDhand store and repair shop, 61 E bet. Second and Third. 25f6

FOR SALE—ALL OR PART OF FURNITURE of a 9-room boarding and lodging house; house for rent. Inquire at 6 Stark st. 23f7

FOR SALE—DRUG BUSINESS IN PORTLAND; receipts $90) per month. Address Drummer, care Oregonian. 23f6

FOR SALE—LODGING HOUSE, 43 ROOMS, desirable location, long lease, full of roomers; doing a business of $400 per month. Call at 101 Second, cor. Stark. 25f10

$350 FOR A FISHMARKET, CENTRAL LOcation, clearing $150 a month. Address L. M., care Oregonian. 26f7

$175 FISH MARKET ON YAMHILL ST., bet. Third and Fourth sts.; good reason for selling. Apply at premises. Terms cash. 27f3

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE LADIES' furnishing and fancy goods store in the best location in Port Townsend, Wash.; cause of selling, ill health. Address 191, P. O. box, Port Townsend, Wash. 27f7

$600 WILL BUY A SALOON CENTRALLY located doing a good business; will be sold at once. Address Cheap, care Oregonian. 27f3

FOR SALE—A FIRST-CLASS RESTAURANT, doing a good business; cheap rent and long lease. BACON & McBRIDE, 72 Washington st. 26f4

$600 BUYS A GROCERY STOCK, INCLUDing fixtures, horse and wagon; stock all new. 4th street, 1031, East Portland. 28f3

FOR SALE—A WELL-ESTABLISHED AND good-paying stove and tin business in the growing young city of Eugene, Or. No bonus asked; capital required, about $3000; good reasons for wanting to sell. Call on or address T. A. Henderson, Eugene, Or.

FOR SALE — A PAYING RESTAURANT IN good locality, rent reasonable, trade steadily increasing, good reasons for selling. Address Opportunity, care Oregonian. 25f7

LODGING-HOUSE, CENTRALLY SITUATED; long lease, reasonable rent; 40 rooms, newly furnished; will sell cheap for cash; going east. BESWICK & CO., 54 Washington st. 26f3

DOCTOR — IN SMALL RAILROAD TOWN wishes to sell large practice at very reasonable figures. Address Doctor, care Oregonian. 3J1m

FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS TO RIGHT party—Well-equipped sheepskin tannery. Address Albert Bartsch, box 585. 1st 1m

$7500—A GENERAL MERCHANDISE BUSIness and a full stock of merchandise in North Yakima, Wash., for sale for $7500; stock new and first class; doing a good business; cause of sale, death of proprietor; a bargain. Address Edward Whitson, North Yakima, Wash., or call at room 3, Dekum Building, Portland, Or. 26f7

BOARDING-HOUSE FOR SALE; BEST LOcation in Portland; on account of sickness in the family; located near sawmills on the river; rooms airy and newly furnished; a bargain. Inquire at Caledonia Saloon, N. Front and Gilsan sts. Would be willing to exchange for farm or other property in the country. 25f14

HOTEL FOR SALE—WELL FURNISHED house with ease for sale in Albina; 34 rooms, fully furnished, kitchen and dining-room complete; good bargain for cash customer; house is doing a good business now; has between 50 and 60 boarders. Apply at International hotel, Portland.

HELP WANTED—Male.

A PUSHING MAN OF BUSINESS QUALIFIcations for a position where the right man will be speedily advanced. M. J. DOWNING & CO., 313½ First st., room 9. 25f7

WANTED—50 LABORERS FOR LA GRANDE extension O. R. & N.; rockmen, teamsters and graders. KINCAID & DANIEL, 108 First st. 26f3

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WILLING TO WORK up by his own efforts; permanent position and good salary guaranteed. Address Effort, Oregonian.

WANTED—TWO MEN TO WAIT ON TABLE and assist in kitchen; German preferred. St. Paul House, 24 North Third street. 27f5

WANTED—A BARBER FOR SATURDAYS and Sundays. Apply at 74 North Third. 27f2

A YOUNG MAN, AGE FROM 16 TO 19, TO make himself generally useful in a mercantile house; must live with his parents. Call 12 o'clock today at office of Webb Safe & Lock Co. 1

WANTED—A FEW YOUNG MEN TO USE and recommend my improved Electric Belt with Suspensory; it cures nervous weakness in ten days or three weeks; it sends a mild stream of Electricity direct through the kidneys and nerve centers. Try one at agent's price, if you will sell them for me after you are strong and well. Call and see me; Free consultation. Room 14, First National Bank building. Good health pays; you can be well and stout. DR. WM. SILL. 21tf

HELP WANTED—Female.

WANTED—A LADY RETOUCHER TO REtouch negatives by the piece. Address, giving street and number of residence, S. E. H., box 690, Portland. 25f3

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply at once at 115 Hood st., near Caruthers. 26f2

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL FOR LIGHT HOUSE work. Apply 265 Corbett st., S. Portland. 26f2

WANTED—A THOROUGHLY COMPETENT and reliable girl for general housework. Apply from 2 to 4, at 293 Yamhill; good wages; references.

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSEwork. Call at corner 17th and K street. 27f2

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in small family. Call 291 Montgomery street. 27f3

WANTED — A GIRL TO DO HOUSEWORK. Call on Watson & Co., cor. Stark and Front. 27f1

COOK WANTED—FOR COOKING AND GENeral housework; an experienced woman who is a good cook can get a permanent place at good wages. Apply 167 N. 19th st., cor. 19th and I. 27f1f

WANTED—A GOOD, COMPETENT GIRL FOR general housework at 210 Eleventh street, near Salmon. 27f2

WANTED AT ONCE—GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. Call at 10 Hall street. 27f2

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL FOR LIGHT housework. Apply 450 Fifth st. 27f1

WANTED—A GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in a small family; no children. 129 Alder street. 1

WANTED—A WILLING GERMAN GIRL; plain cooking. 47 Ash street. 1

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework; must be a good cook. Apply S. W. cor. Twelfth and Jefferson streets. 27f2

WANTED—A WOMAN COOK AT 120 THIRD street. 26f2

WANTED — ACTIVE BUSINESS WOMAN, over 25, willing to work 8 hours per day; $800 first year; references required. Address H. T. A., care Oregonian. 26f2

WANTED—A MUSICAL ASSISTANT FOR A kindergarten. Apply 246 Washington st. 26f3

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE work in family of 2. Inquire 383 Ninth st., cor. Montgomery. 26f2

WANTED—A COMPETENT GIRL FOR GENeral housework. Apply 345 Ninth st. 25f3

20 PLACES FOR GOOD, WILLing girls; good wages. | MRS. PLATO, 9 Yamhill.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Male.

PORTLAND EMPLOYMENT BUREAU—FARMers, Contractors, Hotelmen and other employers can secure good help, male or female, by addressing 43½ First st., Portland, Or. 25f7

WANTED—BY COMPETENT PARTY, POSItion as cab driver. Address D. W. R., care Oregonian. 26f3

WANTED — SITUATION AS TRAVELING salesman; 13 years' experience; a good Sound and Eastern Washington trade. Address Salesman, care Oregonian. 1

SITUATION WANTED BY A GOOD BARBER, with the intention of buying. Address P. O. box 639. 26f2

WANTED — EMPLOYMENT BY A YOUNG man with good common school education; age 18. Address C. A., care Oregonian. 26f2

A YOUNG MAN OF EXPERIENCE WOULD like to have charge of stationary engine; can give references. Address Engineer, care Oregonian. 25f3

WANTED—BY COMPETENT STENOGRAPHer and typewriter, male, permanent position; salary no object. Address T. W., 268 Second st., city.

WANTED—BOOKS TO POST; COPYING DONE; opening and closing books a specialty; by a man of experience; charges moderate; good references. Address Geo. W. Craw, Yamhill and Eighth. 9f1m

EMPLOYMENT WANTED—Female.

WANTED—SITUATION BY SWEDISH GIRL to do second work or general housework in small family. Address Swedish Girl, care Oregonian.

WANTED—3 GIRLS WANT DINING-ROOM work in hotel or restaurant. Call 101 Second st., cor. Stark. 26f2

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER OR landlady in a first-class rooming-house or hotel; understands the business perfectly. Address Wilton, care Oregonian. 27f7

WANTED—A SITUATION AS SECOND GIRL and seamstress or waitress; no objections to country. Address Mildred, care Oregonian. 27f2

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A SWEDISH girl to do general housework. Apply at 69 B st.

A LADY WITH A BOY OF 10 WOULD LIKE position as housekeeper; reference. Address M., care Oregonian. 26f

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-CLASS lady cook. Address M. B., care Oregonian. 27f3

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY BY A young German woman; can do any kind of housework. Address Mrs. G. B., care Oregonian. 27f2

WANTED—A POSITION AS UPSTAIRS GIRL and seamstress, or light housework; no objection to country. Address S. A., care Oregonian. 27f2

DRESSMAKING DONE AT 235 TENTH ST., cor. Main; charges reasonable; fitting a specialty; hours 12 to 3 P. M. 25f3

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED YOUNG woman attending business college wishes place in private family to work for her board. Address Annie, care Oregonian. 26f2

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—TWO ROOMS FOR HUSBAND AND wife suitable for light housekeeping; state price and location. H. C. D., 257 Sixth street. 27f3

WANTED—A FURNISHED ROOM IN PRIVate family suitable for two gentlemen; permanent tenants. Address C. C. C., care Oregonian. 1

WANTED TO LEASE—A HOUSE OF 10 OR 12 rooms, in good location; modern improvements; would buy a part of furniture if furnished. Address C. C., care Oregonian. 21f7

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, TWO UNFURnished rooms or suite of rooms, centrally located. Address T. A. Kindred, 244 First st. 1

WANTED—PLEASANT FRONT ROOM AND board in convenient locality for man and wife; terms must not exceed $2 per day; references exchanged. Address Boarders, care Oregonian. 27f2

WANTED—TO RENT ABOUT APRIL 1, A 9 or 10-room house with modern conveniences and in a good location. Address Hogan & Speddy, 93 and 95 Second st. 25f3t

WANTED—TO RENT OR LEASE STORE ON or near First st., between Morrison and Salmon, by responsible party for saloon. Address P. O. box 3, city. 8ftf

WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS.

SNELL, HEITSHU & WOODARD, ESTABlished in 1851, Portland, Or.

HELP WANTED—AGENTS.

SALESMAN WANTED IN OREGON, TO [illegible] FOR THE [illegible] phone 30 per [illegible] care Oregonian.

$150 PER MONTH CLEAR [illegible] a contract [illegible] interest [illegible]

AGENTS ARE MAKING FROM [illegible] per [illegible] Stanley [illegible] original and only [illegible] delay in [illegible] send $1.50 for [illegible] 313½ First st. [illegible] M. J. DOWNING & CO.

WANTED—TO BUY A STOCK OF [illegible] Address [illegible] & W., 1105 Pacific av., Wash.

WANTED—A LIVE MAN, ONE OF [illegible] accident company [illegible] territory [illegible] Identity Co. [illegible]

GOOD AGENTS [illegible] SALE AND [illegible] can make [illegible] than any thing [illegible] H. A. Hills & Co., Room 1 [illegible] Abington building.

TO RENT—ROOMS AND OFFICES.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS REASONABLE. 165 Washington.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] with use of bath and [illegible] 72 North [illegible] bet. Stark and B sts.

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] bay-window room [illegible] with bath, at 291 [illegible]

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] room. Inquire 281 First st.

FOR RENT—PLEASANT FURNISHED [illegible] convenient for housekeeping; no children. at 448 East Park st.

TWO NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS, centrally located, with [illegible] private family, at 212 Stark street.

FRONT ROOM, BAY WINDOW, FIRST CLASS table; Northeast corner [illegible]

NICELY FURNISHED FRONT ROOM, ALSO upstairs, in quiet family, $15 per month for two gentlemen or gentleman and lady; pleasant back room, $7 per month; references required. 346 Taylor st.

FOR RENT—A FURNISHED FRONT [illegible] with fire, or a suite of rooms, very [illegible] Call at 348½ First street.

FOR RENT—228½ FIRST STREET [illegible] mon, furnished or partly furnished [illegible] able for offices or light [illegible]

FOR RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] for one or two gentlemen at 174 W[illegible] cor. West Park.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM [illegible] for one or two gentlemen. Inquire [illegible] Park, bet. Washington and Stark.

FOR RENT—3 UNFURNISHED ROOMS [illegible] housekeeping, at 83 Sixth [illegible]

FOR RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] suitable for one or two gentlemen. [illegible] North Tenth street.

FINE CLEAN ROOMS AT THE [illegible] House, cor. Front and Washington st. [illegible] ing man solicited.

NEWLY FURNISHED ROOMS, [illegible] bath; references required. 127 [illegible] Washington st.

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED [illegible] single or suites; also furnished rooms for [illegible] keeping. The Ladd House, cor. First and [illegible]

TO RENT—ROOMS WITH BOARD.

FOR RENT WITH BOARD—ONE SUITE [illegible] single room, at 84 Main street, cor. Fourth [illegible]

A LARGE HANDSOMELY FURNISHED room and board for two gentlemen or [illegible] man and wife; private family; every [illegible] and comfort; reference required. 203 [illegible] corner Taylor.

FURNISHED ROOMS FOR HOUSEKEEPING without children; 372 First st.

FOR RENT — TWO NICELY FURNISHED rooms, with use of bath; references required [illegible] Fifth st.

TO RENT—HOUSES AND STORES.

TO LET—LARGE STORE ON NORTH [illegible] street; also entrance on Front. Inquire [illegible] Saloon, corner F and Front.

FOR RENT—A MODERN COTTAGE OF [illegible] rooms and bath. Apply 155 11th, cor. [illegible]

FOR RENT—STORE AT 166 FIRST [illegible] most centrally located.

HOUSE ON SOUTH TWENTY-FIRST [illegible] Portland, for rent. Inquire [illegible] Fifth and Madison st., Portland.

FOR RENT—NEAR MARQUAM, [illegible] Sixth; good for any business. [illegible] PLATO, 9 [illegible] sion to parties buying fixtures.

FOR RENT—FINE RESIDENCE OF [illegible] and furniture for sale; all new. 95 [illegible]

FOR RENT—A STORE ON TAYLOR [illegible] Fourth; also a 9-room house in East Portland [illegible] quire at 183 Eighth street.

FOR RENT—A FURNISHED HOUSE OF [illegible] rooms, only to responsible parties without children. Inquire at 325 Seventh st.

FOR, RENT—STORE ROOM WITH [illegible] ing rooms back of store, suitable for a [illegible] er shop; rent $30; no children. 65 North [illegible] bet. D and E.

FOR RENT—HOUSE 7 ROOMS, SITUATED [illegible] fine residence neighborhood; all modern [illegible] ments. ABRAHAM & McMILLEN, [illegible] cor. Ash.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—1 BUGGY $60, 1 BUGGY [illegible] new. 168 First st. DAVID COLE & CO.

FOR SALE—200 CORDS DRY LIVE WOOD [illegible] Santa Rosa Park. Inquire 9 C st. [illegible] ERS.

FOR SALE—GOOD RIG, HORSE, BUGGY AND harness. Address P. O. box 6, East Portland.

FOR SALE—A 12-HORSE-POWER [illegible] engine and boiler, almost new. Inquire [illegible] First street.

FOR SALE—PARKER 10-BORE SHOTGUN, shells and belt. Call at Louisville [illegible] First street, near Yamhill.

FOR SALE—STEAM WELL DRILL AND [illegible] ing machine complete. For particulars [illegible] G. E., care Oregonian.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A FULL BLOOD [illegible] ported Clydesdale stallion; a fine [illegible] young and with superior bone and action [illegible] finely-bred road stallion, out of Kentucky [illegible] Will sell or trade for horses, cattle or real estate. Call on or address Wm. Howard [illegible] Salem, Oregon.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, TWO GOOD [illegible] half platform spring wagon and harness [illegible] quire at Pavilion stable or 46 Morrison st.

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—A PAWN TICKET. OWNER [illegible] have the same by applying to Oregon [illegible] Bakery and proving property.

LEFT—BY AN ELDERLY MAN, A [illegible] in the neighborhood of Eighth st., between [illegible] and G, last Monday morning. The person [illegible] the same to 113 N. Eighth st. will be rewarded.

LOST—A LADIES' SILVER WATCH [illegible] gold fob chain on First street between [illegible] Salmon; finder will return same to room [illegible] building, and be suitably rewarded.

FOUND—A SMALL BLACK AND [illegible] dog (female). Owner can have same by [illegible] and paying for this ad. SPORT, Oregonian.

LOST—FEBRUARY 26, BETWEEN A [illegible] Taylor streets, a pocketbook containing [illegible] checks; one, No. 19, favor Mrs. S. J. Eberhard [illegible] National bank; other favor Mrs. E. Healy [illegible] worth bank; of no value to holder, [illegible] been stopped; finder will be rewarded by [illegible] same to Mrs. S. J. Eberhard, 232 H street [illegible] Ninth and Tenth.

SHOW CASE MANUFACTURERS.

DIXON, BORGESON & CO., 108 AND [illegible] street, Portland, Or.

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GOLD TRIMMINGS

THE LIFE OF A LARGE CITY.

[illegible] Movement for a Concerted [illegible] of the Salmon Law.

[illegible] City Hall Plans—Boiler Explosion—[illegible] Committee—Eastern Oregon Weather and Stock Losses.

[illegible] STATEMENT.—Mrs. Sarah [illegible] mother of Edwin Elwood John [illegible] his death several days since by taking [illegible] fluid from a barrel left [illegible] Holman's old place, called [illegible] office yesterday to make a [illegible] regarding the sad affair. She denied [illegible] was in a drunken debauch on the [illegible] He was always a hard work[er] [illegible] said she, "and worked at [illegible] He had a contract. He told [illegible] whenever he had a drink out of a barrel [illegible] had taken a drink of water and vinegar [illegible] to contain water and vinegar. He told the physi[cian] [illegible] to his room. He was very dry and as he could [illegible] a drink from a barrel [illegible] he took a drink from the barrel to indicate [illegible] about the barrel to indicate [illegible] poison although a placard mak[ing] [illegible] that fact was put up after it was [illegible] had taken the fatal draught. The [illegible] was alleged to have been given the [illegible] not have been heard by him. At [illegible] was not sufficient.

[illegible] THE SALMON LAW.—It is stated [illegible] paper has been circulated among the fish[ermen] [illegible] of this city, in which they have agreed to [illegible] sell salmon in violation of the law dur[ing] [illegible] season in March. It seems hardly [illegible] that any one interested in the future of [illegible] salmon industry would blind himself to [illegible] strange things have been [illegible] when pecuniary matters are at [illegible] salmon reaching the highest points in the [illegible] the spawn is saved are really the [illegible] that propagate to advantage. For this [illegible] month of March has been made a close [illegible] It is done for the preservation of [illegible] to foster the salmon industry. The [illegible] it is said, has brought up the [illegible] earlier than usual and in consequence [illegible] suspicions to violate the law this year will [illegible] than ever before.

[illegible] PROGRESS.—The committee of the [illegible] of Trade who are engaged in canvassing [illegible] subscriptions for the Chamber of Commerce [illegible] are making favorable progress with [illegible] Every business man says such a [illegible] is needed. Some were afraid that the [illegible] list would be cut down by the new [illegible] but it has quite the opposite effect, as [illegible] members are coming in, and the old ones [illegible] the board. Quick action by the com[mittee] [illegible] and liberal response by the community [illegible] an early start to be made on the [illegible] so that it can be covered in before [illegible] which is much to be desired, as it is not [illegible] to erect a building of this kind in the [illegible] From present prospects a building will [illegible] which will be a credit to the city and [illegible] of pride to the business men and the [illegible] generally.

[illegible] PROPOSED CITY HALL.—The committee ap[pointed] by Mayor DeLashmutt to investigate the [illegible] of procuring plans and specifications for [illegible] city hall have written to the city officers [illegible] Eastern cities, asking what course was [illegible] in procuring plans for their city halls. [illegible] are not used to this kind of business, said [illegible] Hoyt, chairman of the committee, [illegible] we desire to save both time and energy by [illegible] by the experience of others. We may [illegible] the seals of competition open to all the [illegible] in the United States, and advertise to [illegible] prizes for the first, second and third best of [illegible] We expect to hear from the parties to whom [illegible] written in a few days and next week [illegible] we will hold a committee meeting to [illegible] our report.

[illegible] ON THE MEND.—Stewart, the man who [jump]ed from a second-story window of the St. [Char]les hotel several weeks ago in a blind en[deavor] to find eternity, is mending as rapidly as [can be] expected under the skillful treatment he [is rec]eiving at the Portland hospital. The many [bruises] and bruises sustained are rapidly healing, [but the] equilibrium of his mental faculties de[stroy]ed by the shock of the fall, has not yet been [restor]ed. The more delicate and subtle texture [of the] brain necessitates the lapse of a longer [period] of time for a radical change in the condi[tion] of his mind. Although he is rational most [of the] time, his mind occasionally wanders, and [he] has no recollection of the circumstances [which] brought him into his present condition.

[A] BOILER EXPLODED.—Yesterday morning [shortly] after a fire had been kindled in the range [in] the kitchen of Mrs. B. Bauer's boarding house [illegible] and Stark streets, the boiler exploded, [illegible] the range smashing the windows and [breaking] up things generally in that department. [The f]reezing of the water in the pipes leading to [the bo]iler caused the explosion. Mrs. Bauer was [in the] kitchen at the time, and having observed [illegible] escaping from one of the pipes, was inves[tigating] the matter when the explosion occurred. [Fortunately] she escaped with a few trifling [bruises.] The noise disturbed the morning naps [of the] lodgers in the house, who imagined that [the last] day had come and hustled out to see [what th]eir future prospects were.

BLACK BESS IN THE CITY.—Among the attrac[tions] of the company playing at the Marquam [Gran]d is the noted mare, Black Bess, but the [proper] name of which is Jack. This animal is one [of the] most wonderful trick horses in the world, [and was] at one time the property of the famed [showman] P. T. Barnum. In an interview with [illegible] Speer, at the Quimby yesterday after[noon], a late attache of great shows, and the ["General] Sheridan" of the "Shenandoah" com[pany], that gentleman said that the animal carries [illegible] insurance of $20,000, and is without doubt [the] greatest sword mare living. Black Bess does [not l]ook very well at present as she was very sea[sick] in coming around from San Francisco on the [steamer] Santa Rosa.

[SETTING] POLES AND STRINGING WIRES.—In the [case] of Dekum vs. the Multnomah Street Railway [Com]pany Judge Shattuck yesterday denied a mo[tion] to strike out parts of the complaint. The [com]plaint alleged that the common council had [no po]wer to grant the company the right to set [up] poles and string wires along the streets. This [illegible] the defense wished to have stricken [out], but the court refused and held that if the [com]pany was not authorized to put up poles and [string] wires, and by doing so caused injury to [plain]tiff, he was entitled to relief. The thing [which] needs to be decided, it would appear from [this], is whether the council has the right to au[thorize] the company to set poles and string wires.

[CUT] WITH AN AX.—One of the laborers em[ploy]ed at the steel railway bridge met with a sin[gular] accident Tuesday afternoon. He was en[gaged] in cutting a timber with an ax and while [looking] up to talk to a man who was working [near] him, he let the sharp instrument come [down] on his left foot. This brought his mind [back] to the work he was engaged in and he saw in [what] way the slip of the ax had caused. The foot was [nearly] split through and he had to be taken to [the] Portland hospital to have the injury dressed. [The] accident has taught him that an attempt to [do two] things at the same time is liable to lead to [illegible]. It is sometimes a hazardous undertaking [illegible].

[A COLD] DAY.—Several people from Eastern Or[egon] and Washington were in the city yesterday, [and] the cold weather reports from their country [form]ed the chief topic of their conversation. The [weather] bulletins received by the Northern Pa[cific] [illegible] were peculiarly frigid. Following are their [illegible], Sprague, 11 below, clear, brisk north [wind]; Pasco 4:30 A. M., 18 below, clear, [illegible] Ellensburgh 4:30 A. M., 22 below, clear, [illegible] Pullman 38 below; Billings 25 below, [illegible] light snow, calm; Livingston, 30 below, [clear], calm; Bozeman 20 below, cloudy, calm; [illegible] 21 below, clear, calm; Missoula, 12 below, [clear], calm; Hope 15 below, clear, calm.

DAMAGE TO WHEAT CROPS.—Fears are enter[tain]ed that the present cold weather will winter-[kill] a great deal of wheat in the Willamette val[ley]. There being no snow to protect the wheat [the g]round is frozen pretty hard, and wherever [the sun] can get a thaw to thaw the ground and it [freezes] at night the wheat is a goner. As the Hi[bernian] gentleman remarked in regard to the nu[tritious], esculent tuber, so dear to the hearts of [the] down-trodden sons of Erin's lovely isle, freez[ing] does no harm; it is the thawing out which [kills] it. Eastern Oregon wheat fields are to a [large] extent covered with snow, which will pro[tect] the wheat plants from harm.

[UNION] PARTY SPEAKERS.—Professor Rork and [Major] Reed addressed a very appreciative audi[ence] at the old Arion hall last night on the issues [of] the union party. The meeting was character[ized] by the enthusiasm that usually attends a [new] movement and the speakers were both [greet]ed by hearty rounds of applause as they [dealt] out sledge-hammer blows at the evils which they [claim]ed were threatening the nation with wreck [and] ruin. These gentlemen are both vigorous [and] attractive speakers, and by unanimous invi[tation] of the audience hold forth again at the [same] place on Friday evening.

TO EXAMINE AND REPORT.—Mr. A. J. Coffey, [the] city electrician who went East to examine into [the] police telegraph system, will also make a [thorough] examination of the [illegible] in vogue in [Eastern] cities for stringing [illegible] electric light, tele[phone] and other electric wires. The council have [had] under consideration for some time the mat[ter of] arranging such wires here so as to best [serve] the interests of the public, and Mr. Coffey [on] his return will be able to present to the coun[cil] a plan which will embody the best features of [the] systems in vogue East, and will doubtless [meet] with their approval.

CHANGE OF OFFICERS.—During the recent visit [of Gen]eral Superintendent Cushing of the motive [power] of the Union Pacific road he decided to [make] a change in the office of master mechanic [of th]is division of the road, at The Dalles and [Port]land. By the change Mr. John Hewett, a [gentle]man well known, takes the place thus va[cated] by J. Evans.

MARCH OF IMPROVEMENT.—The small fir forest [on] the Davenport tract, put by the Canyon Gar[dens], lately purchased by Atkinson & Wakefield, [is bei]ng cut down, which will be quite an im[prove]ment to that part of the city. Other im[prove]ments in that long neglected section will [doubt]less follow, to the benefit of all concerned.

[Per]sons who lead a life of exposure are subject [to rh]eumatism, neuralgia and lumbago, and will [find] a valuable remedy in Dr. J. H. McLean's [Vol]canic Oil Liniment; it will banish pain and [subdue] inflammation.

EAST OF THE MOUNTAINS.—Hon. T. J. Kirk, representative in the last legislature from Umatilla county, and a prominent and wealthy stockman and rancher of Eastern Oregon, was in the city yesterday, looking after some of the political prospects of one of his many friends. Mr. Kirk reports that most of the stock in his country has been well cared for, through the forethought of feeders there in providing plenty of feed for the winter. He says they are anxious now for the snow to go away, for they think it has done all the good it can this winter.

LOSS OF SHEEP.—Mr. M. Fleshland has been in correspondence for some time with Eastern Oregon sheep-growers, and learns that there will be a loss on the ranges there of [illegible]0 per cent., and in many places of [illegible]5 per cent. in sheep herds, on account of the unusual severity of the winter. Mr. Fleshland feels assured, however, that the price of wool will not be increased on that account. The cattle have fared a little better, though stockmen report the average loss of all stock at about 60 per cent.

THE STEAMER FANNIE O'K.—The steamer Fannie, which was stranded on the beach down the river is again afloat. Two steamers spent a good many hours of hard work trying to get the boat off but to no avail. With the high tide yesterday morning the Ocklahama, the champion tow boat of the river, steamed down to the scene of the difficulty, made fast a heavy rope to the beached boat and by a couple of well directed jerks yanked the steamer into deep water almost before anyone knew it.

ROAD DAMAGED.—Mr. R. Wortdek, who was sent over by Captain Symons, United States engineers, to make a profile of the jetty being constructed at Coos bay to guide the contractor in dumping rock thereon, writes from Empire City that the road from Drains to Scottsburg is badly damaged and will not be open for a week. The road from Roseburg to the coast is so bad that it will probably be abandoned. Coos bay seems to be cut off from intercourse with the remainder of Oregon for the present.

A SMALL BLAZE.—An alarm turned in from the box on the corner of Fourth and Grant streets at half past 10 o'clock yesterday morning called out a portion of the fire department to extinguish a small blaze in Jacob Gordes's saloon on Fourth and Sheridan streets. The flames had made but little headway when the department arrived and the fire was extinguished with but little trouble. The entire loss will not exceed $100. The building is owned by L. Jacobs.

A DISTINGUISHED VISITOR.—John Boyle O'Reilly, the famous poet, orator and editor, will be here on the 18th of next month. Preparations are making for a rousing reception to be tendered him on the day of his arrival. Mr. O'Reilly will lecture here on the evening of that day, Tuesday, March 18, upon the subject "The Illustrious Irishmen of the Century."

NO WATER IN THE COWLITZ.—The Cowlitz river is very low and the line of steamers navigating that stream cannot carry freight or passengers to any point beyond Castle Rock (not the Columbia point). It is reported that but fifteen inches of water now covers the Toutle river bar, where heretofore there has always been enough to float a steamer.

THAT CARLOAD OF BEEF.—Mr. E. G. Smith mentioned yesterday in connection with a carload of dressed beef, represents the Armour-Cudhay Packing Company of South Omaha, Neb., and not the Armour Packing Company.

SOLDIERS TO THE FRONT.—Nine soldiers under command of a sergeant, came over from Vancouver yesterday and took part in the play of "Shenandoah" at the Marquam Grand last night, and are registered at the Quimby.

VERY DISAGREEABLE.—Mr. J. F. Watson, who has returned from a three weeks trip to San Francisco, says the weather there was very disagreeable. It rained all the time and was cold and raw.

THE ACME SOCIAL.—To-night is the occasion of the long looked for social mask of the Acme social club, an invitation affair, for which the past records of the club give ample promise.

THE BITTER BLAST necessitates warm underwear. The balance of J. Selling & Co.'s goods in that line will be offered to-day and none but genuine bargains will be shown.

LADIES.—The leading brand of choice hams, bacon and lard is the Whittaker Star, kept by L. B. Mayer, 70 Morrison.

THE LAST OF THE SERIES. Acme social mask ball to-night. Grand march at 9 o'clock, sharp.

THE ALBINA FERRY is now making regular trips between Albina and Portland.

CITY TAXPAYERS—Are called on to pay their taxes before becoming delinquent.

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PORTLAND, Or., Feb. 21.

We, the undersigned jewelers of Portland, mutually agree to close our places of business at 7 o'clock (excepting Saturdays) from March 1 to September 1, 1890.

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FAST TIME

The Northern Pacific Railroad Vestibule Dining and Sleeping Car Line daily service to St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago. No change of cars and twenty-five miles the shortest route to Chicago. Tourist sleeping cars through, placing passengers in the Union depot, Chicago, seven hours and thirty-six minutes ahead of other lines. Passenger and ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

SPRING OVERCOATS

We have just received the choicest stock of spring overcoats direct from New York. These overcoats were made to order under the personal supervision of Mr. Arthur Kohn, now in New York, comprising the latest colors and styles at Kohn's, Second and Morrison streets.

BRIEF MENTION.

S. Tomlinson has a lot of fine horses for sale at Magoon Bros., corner Third and Madison.

The Estey Organ and the Matchless Decker Brothers Piano take the lead. They are a long way ahead of any other instruments. Hoyt & Co., 107 First, sole agents.

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If you want a fine suit of clothes made to order at cost call at Kohn's, Second and Morrison. $50 suits reduced to only $35, $45 suits only $30, $40 suits only $3[illegible]. We have the choicest stock of clothes in the city to select from.

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With its 500 rooms single and in suits, is first-class in every respect, the best family and tourist hotel adjacent to San Francisco; trains every half hour, rates very reasonable. J. M. Davies, lessee, C. R. Hughes, manager.

JEFFERSON STREET FERRY COMPANY

Will run the steamer Louise Vaughn for the accommodation of foot passengers from Jefferson street to Stephens addition, from 7 A. M. till 10 A. M. and from 3 P. M. to 6 P. M., until further notice.

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BUSINESS ITEMS.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

AUCTION SALE TO-DAY.

The sale of fine furniture and piano this morning at residence 147 Eighth street, near Alder, by Gilman & Co., auctioneers, affords an excellent opportunity for buyers.

ROSE BUDS

Five to Twenty-five cents, long, clean stems. Carnations 5c; double violets, 2c, at Wallace, Nineteenth and O streets.

Double Your Money Before the Raise

Don't forget that lots in Rosedale addition to Albina will be $20 a lot on and after the 2[illegible] of March. 16 lots $180. 49 First street. W. Reidt, Mgr. Open until 8 P. M.

The Union Pacific.

Is the only line running two fast trains daily from Portland to Omaha, St. Paul, Kansas City, Chicago, St. Louis and all points East and South. Ticket office No. 81 First street, corner of Oak.

Lower Than the Lowest

The Canadian Pacific are now selling first class limited tickets through to Chicago for $57, second $54. Office No. 6 Washington street.

Reservations on any steamship line in the Atlantic service to Europe and England can be secured at Northern Pacific ticket office, No. 121 First street, corner Washington.

The Northern Pacific are now selling first class limited tickets through to Chicago for $6[illegible], second class $39. These are the lowest rates now in effect.

The best place to get a lunch in the city is at the New York. Just remember this and save your money.

SCHOOL BOOKS—At Ed. Dekum's, 49 Washington street. Come early and avoid the rush.

Consumption avoided by checking colds with Kidd's Cough Syrup, at all druggists.

BEECHAM'S PILLS cure bilious and nervous ills.

YESTERDAY IN THE COURTS.

Squires Gets Off for Contempt by Paying the Costs

The Miller Divorce Case—Partnership Estate—New Incorporations—Marriage Licenses—The Police Court.

The Miller divorce case was [vig]orously argued before Judge Stearns yesterday and was by him taken under advisement.

C. I. Squires was hauled up before Judge Shattuck yesterday and succeeded in purging himself of contempt in a very indifferent way. His punishment was the usual one, paying the costs. Squires says he made a fool of them fellers up there. Judge Shattuck is too lenient with these loud-mouthed triflers and ought to make an example of some of them by bringing them up short. Squires had been talking about giving the poor devil something in the presence of the jury.

Another sealed verdict for Judge Shattuck's court this morning. This one is in the case of Parke & Lacey vs. Kilpatrick Bros. and Collins.

Leander Lewis brings action for $86 80 against D. T. Workman for [illegible]. An attachment was issued for a house and lot in East Portland.

PARTNERSHIP ENTAIL.

In 1883 M. B. Rankin and C. W. Nottingham were co-partners in the real estate business in this city, the result of which apparently did not prove satisfactory to Mr. Rankin, judging from a suit he has filed against Mr. Nottingham in the circuit court. The complaint alleges that during the period of this co-partnership they bought certain timber lands for $5[illegible]0, Mr. Rankin contributing one-half of the purchase money. Since then up to the beginning of 188[illegible] Mr. Nottingham cut and sold $[illegible] worth of timber off the land, for which he declines to make an accounting. Mr. Rankin asks for the relief to which he is entitled.

INSURING AGAINST DISHONESTY.

Articles incorporating the Oregon Loan and Trust Company were filed in the office of the county clerk yesterday by L. L. Hawkins, J. P. Marshall, Charles A. Burckhardt, L. A. Lewis, Eugene White and J. [illegible] McCaffie, with a capital of $1[illegible]0,000. The object of the organization is similar to that of other of its nature [illegible] in connection with that it also insures the fidelity of persons holding positions of trust and responsibility.

HEAVY INCORPORATION.

The Gl[illegible]x Amalgamator Company filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk yesterday. The scope of the new company's work is buying and selling mining and milling property, amalgamating ore, etc. The incorporators are H. Thielsen, P. L. Chiroux, J. F. Dickson, W. Y. Masters and J. C. Moreland and the capital stock is $500,000.

HYMEN'S TOUCH.

License to wed has been accorded to J. N. Henkle and Flora Lowe, J. B. Fangs and S. B. Judkins, W. Y. Thornburg and Lulu King.

The Police Court

T. Snouter and Charles Trang, simple drunks, were fined $5 each in the police court yesterday afternoon. John Burns and William Hurgen were fined $10 each for being disorderly as well as drunk, and Tom Sing forfeited $5 for cutting no [illegible].

John Doe and Richard Roe forfeited $5 each on charges of assault and battery.

Extracts From the Docket

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT.

R. M. Steel vs. Rathbun; hearing on order to show cause why J. B. Thompson, garnishee, should not be punished for contempt; argued and submitted.

John Arecker vs. S. Simon; motion to strike out parts of answer allowed; demurrer to part of answer sustained; leave given to amend.

Allyn Yocum vs. Portland & Willamette Valley Railway Company; motion to make complaint more definite and certain denied.

Ivan Yocum vs. Portland & Willamette Valley railway Company; motion to make complaint more definite and certain denied.

D. H. Keith vs. Oregon Boot and Shoe Manufacturing Company; motion to strike out parts of answer allowed; leave given to amend.

Henrietta Clarke vs. A. H. Black; two cases dismissed and papers withdrawn.

— Grunner vs. Jacobs; case dismissed and papers withdrawn.

Parke & Lacy Machinery Company vs. Kilpatrick Bros. and Collins; on trial.

A. N. King vs. J. R. Bigham et al.; motion to open decree denied.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT NO. 2.

Frank Dekum vs. Multnomah Street Railway Company; motion to strike out parts of complaint denied.

Mary F. Hanson vs. H. C. Stratton; demurrer to complaint overruled; plaintiff allowed five days to amend complaint.

Ivy Miller vs. Dr. W. L. Miller; on trial; argued and submitted.

PUSHING ANACORTES

A Correspondent Expresses Himself Very Favorably Regarding This Growing Place

ANACORTES, Wash., Feb. 25.—[Special Correspondence.]—What is most worthy of remark in referring to Anacortes is that while the place has enjoyed an unprecedented growth during the past two months there has been an entire absence of that "boom" here, so often noticeable in other places. Three months ago Anacortes was a mere hamlet of no commercial importance whatever. At the present writing the town boasts of a population of at least 3,000 people. With this rapid increase in population there has necessarily been a corresponding increase in the value of real estate. With this most rapid rise in the value of town lots however there has all along been a disposition shown on the part of the purchasers of property not only to hold their lots here, but to improve this property just as fast as they could get men and material on the ground. No one seems to be buying to sell. The strongest claim that any town can make for the attention of the world is the its inhabitants express not the least hesitancy regarding its future, and such is the condition of Anacortes at the present time. Men are arriving here every day determined to settle in Anacortes. Many of these newcomers are men of means and the result is that much money is being spent here that will add greatly to the importance of Anacortes as a commercial center.

Two of the strongest companies in the Northwest are spending thousands of dollars in improving and developing their respective interests here. The companies have in view some very important public improvements that will not alone add to the value of their possessions in this place but which will also redound greatly to the advantage of every citizen in this growing town. Anacortes has direct water communication with every town on Puget sound and every incoming boat brings its load of human freight to swell the population of the coming great city.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

The regular weekly meeting of the W. C. T. U. took place at the usual hour and place yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Healey in the chair. The discussion of plans of work brought nearly every lady present to her feet, and quite a lively time was experienced. The result was that twelve ladies were assigned to special work for the coming week. Interesting reports from the ladies may be expected at the next meeting which will be next Wednesday, beginning at 2:30 P. M. sharp and closing promptly at 4. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends interested to be present. Of course the regular members need no urging.

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Any elderly person who feels a trembling of the nerves, a weakening of the muscles, lessened vitality, decreased vigor, chilled hands or feet, needs, nay, must have assistance. Money cannot render it. Drugs should be avoided. Here is what one of the greatest of modern physicians, a no less personage than Dr. Gardner, says on the subject:

"Elderly persons, who in winter suffer from cold feet and find artificial heat applied externally fail to afford relief, may with undoubted propriety and advantage take whisky and hot water on going to bed. If a headache or foul tongue follow, the inference is the spirit was impure, probably containing fusel oil. A very light trace of this noxious ingredient in spirit will in some constitutions produce headache as accurate a test of impurity as chemistry can employ."

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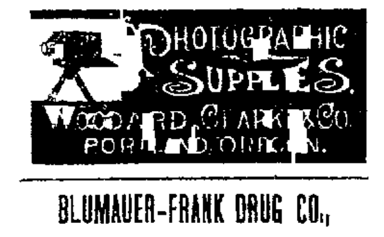

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Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received at the office of the auditor and police judge of the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, until Monday, March 7th, 1890, for Astoria Municipal Bonds to the amount of $22,950, to be issued in denominations to suit. Said bonds to draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent., payable semi-annually, bonds to run 20 years, and are issued for the purpose of refunding $8000 outstanding indebtedness, and purchasing two lots for fire purposes.

Value of assessable property in the city, $5,000,000.

Value of property owned by the city $41,000.

Present indebtedness, including bonds and exclusive of cash in the treasury, $30,000.

Bids should be addressed to T. S. Jewett, auditor and police judge, Astoria, Oregon.

By order of the common council.

Attest: T. S. JEWETT, Auditor and Police Judge.

Astoria, Or., February 6th, 1890.

Dalles City Water Bonds.

Sealed proposals will be received until 2 P. M. Saturday, March 1, 1890, by the Board of Water Commissioners of Dalles City for the purchase of 200 bonds of $500 each, $100,000 in the aggregate:

$25,000 payable in five years.
$25,000 payable in ten years.
$25,000 payable in fifteen years.
$25,000 payable in twenty years.

Each bidder must state the lowest rate of interest at which the bonds will be taken at not less than their face value and for cash in hand, interest payable annually. Bids should be addressed to the Secretary Board of Water Commissioners, The Dalles, Oregon, and envelopes endorsed "Proposal for Water Bonds."

The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. M. T. NOLAN, Secretary of Board of Water Commissioners, The Dalles, Oregon.

The Dalles, Or., Jan. 27, 1890.

REPUBLICAN STATE CENTRAL COMMITTEE.

A meeting of the Republican State Central Committee of Oregon is hereby called to be held in the parlor of the St. Charles Hotel in the city of Portland on Wednesday, the 5th day of March, 1890, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of selecting the time and place for holding the state convention and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. A full attendance is requested. I. T. BARIN, Chairman.

Portland, Or., February 11, 1890.

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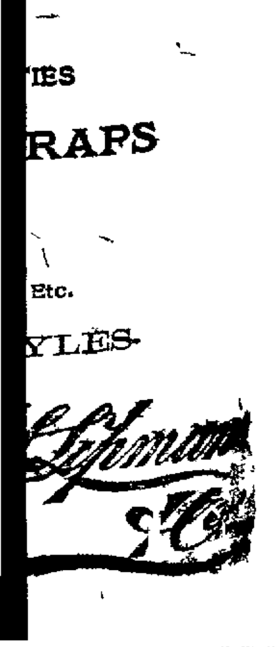

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PORTLAND, THURSDAY, FEB. 27.

PATERNALISM REJECTED.

The recent election in Germany showed an astounding increase in the socialist vote, and illustrated how ineffective was the sop thrown to this party by Bismarck in shape of the workmen's insurance laws, whose enactment was begun in 1883. These laws compel the employers of labor, the state and the whole body of workmen to combine for the support of a workman's family in case of death or disability, and are justly described as "the most uncompromising recognition of the principles of state socialism to be found in the history of European legislation." The first act, that of June 1883, for insurance against sickness, insures against sickness all workers of either sex who are employed in factories, railroads, building operations, mines, quarries in any industry where steam or other natural power is used. The act is expressly limited to the legitimate working classes, for it is stipulated that administrative officers whose salary is over $500 a year are excepted from the benefit of this act and of the other acts on accident and old age pensions. In 1886 provision was made for the insurance of agricultural labor against sickness. These working people must be insured whether they will or not. The employers are forced to act as agents for the enrollment of the insured and for the payment of premiums. They are entitled to deduct from the wages of their workmen two thirds of what they pay the insurance fund, but one third they must pay out of their own pockets. The employer of labor in many of our American mines hires a physician for the corporation and retains fifty cents a month from the miner's wages, in return for which he furnishes the miner and his family with full medical and surgical attendance, including hospital service and medical supplies. In America this local insurance against sickness is a voluntary arrangement between employer and employe, but in Germany it is compulsory upon both employer and employed, and the state fixes the premium, makes the employer bear part of the expense and bears a portion itself. In Germany the workman who falls sick not only gets free medical attendance, with medicine and all needed surgical and medical appliances, but gets a sick pay of one-half his wages, not exceeding, however, one and one-half marks (37½ cents) a day. If the workman dies his representatives are paid a sum equal to twenty times the day wages of a common laborer. These benefits to the sick are granted for a period of thirteen weeks. If sickness continues beyond that time the poor law must be resorted to.

A second act was passed in 1884 for insurance against accident, in which women are not included. Under this act the employers pay all the expenses and the workmen contribute nothing whatever. Under this act all the expenses of cure (after the thirteen weeks during which sick insurance provides for him) are paid by the employer, and if the fourteenth week finds the workman still disabled he gets a pension until he is restored. If he is completely and permanently disabled he gets for life a pension of two thirds of his former wages. If the disability is only partial the pension is two thirds of what he has lost in earning capacity. In case of fatal accidents the funeral expenses are paid. There is also a liberal arrangement of pensions for the widow, children and dependent parents of the victim and for even grandparents when the son or grandson was their sole support.

In May 1889 a third act was passed for insuring pensions to old and disabled workmen. Under this act all workmen who are disabled are entitled to its benefits save those who have mutilated themselves for the purpose of getting it, or if the disability was the result of a criminal act whereof the perpetrator had been convicted. Even a person whom habitual drunkenness has disabled from work may become entitled to a pension for the rest of his life but his pension is paid in kind, not in money. The only stringent condition is that the applicant must have worked. The required period of employment to entitle the applicant to a disability pension is five years, but if old age is to be the ground of pension as many as thirty years are required and in any case a pension for old age can begin only with the seventy first year of life. The "year of contribution," whether of old age or disability, consists of but forty seven weeks of work and as part of it are counted all periods of ordinary sickness and military service. The cost of this act is borne half by the employers and half by the workmen and the pensions yielded by these contributions from employers and employed, are increased in every case by a fixed sum of fifty marks ($12 50) so that the workmen, the employers and the state share the burden. The maximum old age pension is $50 the maximum for disability, about $75. Under these acts the German workman must be provided for if he falls ill, if he is injured by accident, if old age or premature infirmity disables him. The limitation imposed in all cases is that the man must work. He is a member of the sick association only so long as he works; he gets benefit for such accidents only as occur while he is at work. The man must work to get his insurance of any sort.

The great object of all this paternal legislation was to check the successes of the radical socialists to break their grip on the workmen by convincing them that the state was both ready willing and able to care for them. Not content with this legislation the emperor, just before the recent election, in his letter to the minister of commerce affirmed that "it is the duty of the state to so regulate the duration and the nature of labor as to insure the health the morality and the supply of all the economic wants of the workingmen and to preserve their claims to equality before the law." This promise that wages should be regulated by the state instead of being left to competition and action of supply and demand had no effect upon the election. Why? Because while the workingmen did not doubt the emperor would keep his word as he has hitherto they are not in love with paternalism half so much as they are anxious to see individualism released from the crushing weight of militarism. The enormous oppression of a vast standing army, the perpetual preparation in peace for war, the perpetual threat to the largest liberty of the greatest number, is what brings recruits to the ranks of the socialists and alienates the people from the imperial policy of paternalism. In America thus paternalism has no intelligent influential support, for we believe in self help, self dependence, the freest development of individualism and the quickest, largest sense of public and private responsibility. If that state is governed best that is governed least, then Germany is not a great or good government, as we understand it, and deserves the criticism of an able German American critic, who denounces the present paternalism of Emperor William as "a system that must reduce itself to something hardly distinguishable from taxation on the one hand and alms giving on the other."

The flood caused by the breaking of a dam in Hassayampa valley, Arizona, has all the features of the dreadful disaster that swept the Conemaugh valley last summer. It was only less destructive in the loss of life and property than the latter because of the comparative sparseness of the population of the Hassayampa. The power of the waters, loosened by the giving way of the dam was tremendous and everything in its path without regard to weight, supposed imperishability or power of resistance, went down before it. The horror of such a sight is appalling even to the imagination and the survivors of the disaster are as truly objects of substantial sympathy as was the larger but not more destitute and grief stricken host who viewed from the hills of Cambria county, Penn., on that awful summer day of 1889 the wrecks of their homes and the unburied bodies of a myriad of people who had shared them.

AN IMPORTANT ELECTION.

The time is close at hand wherein the tax payers of school districts numbers 1 and 21 comprising the cities of Portland and East Portland will be given an opportunity to express themselves by vote on the matter of levying taxes for the support of the schools and for members of their respective boards of directors. It is but to recapitulate a statement often made of a fact well known and acknowledged to say that taxpayers generally show an apathy in regard to school matters that is reprehensible from a standpoint of a common duty which should be discharged for the common good.

It is not a matter of surprise that the voters of country districts, where everyone knows his neighbor and the few available men for positions on the school board are recommended and trusted by the community, show little interest in the annual school election. The financial interests involved are small, and state legislation has so blocked the path of ignorant incapable pedagogism that it is scarcely possible to go amiss in the selection of teachers for such schools.

In the city districts, however, the case is different. In the first place large financial interests are involved in conducting the schools, and intelligent business understanding is necessary to the proper adjustment of these. Buildings, the construction and repairs of which call for careful estimates and heavy disbursements are to be supplied and kept in order to meet the constantly increasing demand for room; supplies are to be ordered in the proper season and jobs in furnishing them carefully guarded against; the qualifications with regard to their special fitness on grade work of a large number of teachers are to be considered and favoritism in the selection of the same carefully ruled out, the substitution of the ideas and whims of so-called "educators," more zealous than wise, for methods which have the indorsement of success after thorough trial, is to resisted, and the opposite extreme, which forbids, arbitrarily, in the name of custom the introduction of better methods, is to be shunned; the line between proper economy and parsimony in making up the schedule of teachers salaries is to be intelligently drawn and the door is to be shut in the face of officious interference that presents itself in the person of the educator with an ax to grind. We say all of these things must be done by the board, we will qualify this by saying that all *should* be done, and that to insure efficiency in the work of the schools and protect the taxpayers of the district from imposition they must be done.

The city districts on both sides of the river have been fortunate, in the main in securing for this complicated and wholly unremunerative labor men of intelligence, of sympathy in the work of the public schools and possessing business qualifications necessary to protect taxpayers from the harpies of finance who regard a public fund as the lawful prey of any one sharp enough to levy upon it successfully. The construction of the High school building, it will be remembered, brought several persons of this class to the front with a large bill of "extras" and it was only through the fact that there were sagacious business men on the board that a checkmate was called upon the movements of wary contractors in time to at least partially defeat sundry bold games.

In view therefore of the important interests involved, and of the fact well known that interested persons are laboring to work certain departments of this public service to their own profit it will be well for tax payers of the specified districts to give sufficient thought and attention to the coming election to secure competent, honest, capable service on the school boards of the same. It is only through the apathy of voters that there is a possibility of making a mistake in this matter.

CONGRESSIONAL REPRESENTATION.

The approach of the eleventh census and the new apportionment of members of the house of representatives based upon it, invites attention to the general question of popular representation in congress. From the first congress to the Forty eighth, the basis of representation in the house has been constantly enlarged until the member who represented 30 000 people in the time of Washington represents over 150 000 in the time of Harrison. In spite of this increase the membership of the house has constantly grown. It was 65 in the First congress, 105 by the apportionment of 1793, 141 by that of 1803 181 for 1813 213 for 1823 240 for 1833 223 for 1843 237 for 1853, 243 for 1863 and 293 for 1873. The apportionment for 1883 was 325 or one member for 153 000 population. The admission of new states has increased the membership to 333. If the census of this year shows a population of 65 000 000 this will be one member for about 200 000 of population, or about six times the ratio of the congresses previous to 1800. To maintain the present membership of the house, would be to increase the ratio of apportionment nearly 50,000 votes, or about one third.

This would bear hardly upon the older states, whose increase of population has been small. Many of these states would have to submit to a reduction of their congressional delegations, to permit the increase of those from the newer states where the increase of population has been more rapid and in greater proportion. Therefore, it is likely that the maintenance of the house at the present number will be resisted by members of congress from the New England and middle states. The equal power of these states in the senate together with the fact that the newer states have no selfish motive for opposing an increased membership, since they would make their relative gain in any case makes it very likely that they will prevail. The alternative of course, is an increase in the size of the house. To preserve the present ratio of apportionment with 65 000 000 population would give a house of 425 members. This would be the largest increase ever made in the history of congress and is probably farther than it would be thought prudent to go. The present house is so large as to be unwieldy and cumbersome. The proposition to add nearly one hundred members would excite strong opposition in the interest of facility and effectiveness in legislation. It is likely, therefore that the debate upon the apportionment bill, after ranging over the whole ground on both sides, will eventuate in a compromise, upon an apportionment of one member to 170 000 to 180 000 population, making a house of 350 to 300 members.

Apart from the selfish desire of individual states to maintain or increase their absolute representation in congress without regard to their relative strength the debate as to the size of the house is likely to turn upon two opposite contentions, on the one side that a large body is less likely to be accessible to corrupt influences than a small one, and that small constituencies bring representatives nearer to the people, and on the other that large numbers in a popular body tend to delay business, to practically disfranchise a considerable portion of the members, and to concentrate the whole power of the body into the hands of a few leading spirits. Debate has been made principally upon these lines of argument, at every decade from 1793 to 1883. It was said in the second congress, substantially as it was said in the forty seventh congress by Senator Ingalls:

"The [illegible] that the only safeguard against the encroachment of prerogative [illegible] against the aristocratic tendency of this age [illegible] great popular representative assembly [illegible] the number of the house of representatives to 255 I would prefer to increase it to 500 to-day."

And it was also said in the second congress substantially as Senator Hoar said in the forty seventh congress:

"A large representation in the house would have the effect of throwing the [illegible] of the house into the hands of its speaker or into the hands of a few veteran [illegible] of its important committees."

The former view has so far prevailed that in every apportionment since the first an addition of from thirty to fifty members has been made to the size of the house. But the very evils [illegible] in the second congress by the federalists at that time and in the forty seventh congress by Senator Hoar, have grown with the growth of the house, until in the present congress, it has been found necessary to arm the speaker with a most despotic power in order to enable the body to do any business at all. The power and control of the house and the control of [illegible] are now practically in the hands of the presiding officer and a few chairmen of committees. In view of these results of increase [illegible] reasonably be doubted before the next [illegible] house is not [illegible].

The bill [illegible] passed by the Washington legislature has been vetoed by Governor Ferry. Before, opposition has been developed to the bill upon the alleged fact that it was passed in the interests of the allopaths and discriminated unjustly [illegible] physicians. To the extent that this opposition was correctly founded it was just. A medical law in the interest of the doctors or of any school of doctors is not what is required; one framed to protect the public from the pretensions of quacks would be humane in intent, yet it is doubtful whether it would afford protection to the class who run after the marvelous in medicine as in other things. A law with a self acting clause that would protect a fool from himself would cover this case admirably but anything short of this would do little good so far as the large class who consider it a precious privilege to nurse physical ailments is concerned. The reputable physician, humane, earnest in his work, devoted to his calling and making his profession a constant intelligent study, furnishes the best possible argument against quackery, and the best possible protection to the community against quacks. The man or woman whose stock of chronic ailments is never depleted by medical advice or treatment and who parades them to the disparagement of such a physician has an unlimited supply of patent medicines to fall back on when the supply of live quacks runs short, and legislation looking to the protection of such persons is useless.

Farmer Scott who is in jail at McMinnville for the murder of his wife should protest against the inhumanity of his arrest so soon after the crushing domestic affliction that has befallen him. It is hinted that he was shadowed by the ill mannered officers of the law even while attending his wife's funeral—a most heartless procedure, certainly in view of his heavy affliction. The sympathy of the man who married a fortnight after his wife's death and endeavored in vain to shame the neighbors who serenaded him vociferously with tin pans into retirement because there had so recently been a funeral at his house will certainly go out to Farmer Scott in this sore strait. Truly the pangs that are inflicted upon sensitive souls in this unsentimental world are grievous and hard to bear.

The senate committee on rules cannot bring itself to adopt Teller's resolution for the consideration of executive nominations in open session but some members favor a modified rule providing for consideration of nominations in open session when the chairman of the committee reporting them does not specifically request that the doors be closed. This would be an improvement upon the present rule, as it would require someone to attract attention to himself, as taking personal responsibility for any request *to* close the doors but the Teller resolution, pure and simple, without change or modification, is much better. There is no sense in considering any executive nomination with closed doors.

Dempsey's attempt to bully La Blanche into another fight is disgusting to the last degree. He has finally dared the latter to meet him and angered by a steady refusal has declared in effect a la Tom Sawyer "that a man who will take a dare will suck eggs," and left his late antagonist to digest this exceedingly bitter proposition. The conclusion is irresistible that Dempsey has reached the point in his history where a sound whipping would do him good, and the public might almost be pardoned for wishing that La Blanche would accept his challenge and repeat the dose he administered a few months ago.

The democratic opposition to the bill for the admission of Idaho and Wyoming takes the old familiar form of a demand that New Mexico and Arizona be coupled with them. The object of course is to offset two republican states with two democratic. The objection to New Mexico and Arizona is not that they are democratic, but that they are only half civilized and American, with probably as many inhabitants as Idaho and Wyoming they haven't half as many English speaking citizens instructed in our institutions and methods of government. These are all that count.

The Salem bridge was borne away but not destroyed by the flood and its timbers will be drifted back to the original site and put in place again on a surer foundation. Having once known the value and convenience of a bridge at that point, it is not likely that the people of Marion and Polk counties will let the matter of $35 000 (the figure at which the bridge can be replaced) stand between them and its reconstruction.

One object of the trans Siberian railroad, which the Russian government have decided to begin to build at once is to take across the Asian continent the trade of the North Pacific coast which now goes by sea and the North American railways to the eastward. This will lessen a very considerable and profitable trade of Western nations mainly Great Britain with that region.

Who shall say now that the legislature of Washington is not alive to the interests of the dear people? The house ruthlessly resolved on Tuesday to suspend the pay of members absent from that body without leave.

PERSONS WORTH KNOWING ABOUT.

Mrs Shaw, the famous whistler says that she is not going to marry Duke Dijemar. She has been very successful professionally in England and has no desire to wed a titled pauper of any nationality.

Senator Vest is much disappointed because King Kalakaua of the Sandwich islands did not spend this winter in Washington as he had planned. Senator Vest dearly loves a famous poker player.

Mrs. John A. Logan who is seeking to transfer all her late husband's friends to General Alger, and in every other way exerting her influence to lift Alger to the presidency entertains Alger and his family while they are in Washington.

President Harrison is not much given to walking but in what is called a mall cart, drawn by a spirited pony he can generally be seen in the neighborhood of the White House [illegible] recruiting from a drive out in the suburbs.

A Kansas girl wrote to Jay Gould and told him she [illegible] a black silk dress as she was [illegible] to be married and her folks were too poor to buy one for her. Although she has written [illegible] melting epistles to the autocrat she still lacks that black silk.

Professor Putnam's papers on the [illegible] will begin in the next number of the Century. The first paper is entitled "Prehistoric Remains in the Ohio Valley" and will be followed in April by a description of the extraordinary monument of antiquity, the Serpent Mound.

Senator Hawley says in his paper the Hartford Courant: "In reference to the reports of Mr Blaine's contemplated retirement on account of his recent affliction it can be authoritatively stated that the secretary of state will continue to perform his official duties until the close of the Pan American congress."

Mr Herbert Spencer [illegible] around in boarding houses [illegible] that [illegible] grows unbearable [illegible] to the [illegible] He [illegible] signed by an [illegible] thrusts them in [illegible].

Ex-Secretary Bayard [illegible] sentiment [illegible] of the [illegible] of [illegible] day. [illegible] for any [illegible] son in England [illegible] the proud record of a [illegible] England [illegible] We would [illegible] the proud re[illegible] of every [illegible].

[illegible]

M J Adam [illegible] Chicago & Alt[illegible]

[illegible] Bullock [illegible] Walla Walla is at the St Charles.

Mr C J Whelan of the Northern Pacific has just returned from [illegible].

Robert J Hendricks of the Salem [illegible] is in the city [illegible].

J A Anderson of [illegible] known stockman is registered at the [illegible].

Miss Kilsay has accepted [illegible] tendered her by [illegible].

Superintendent A L [illegible] of the Northern Pacific was in the city yesterday, and left for the Sound in the afternoon.

Mr Kenny the [illegible] at ward of St Vincent hospital is recovering from a serious illness which at one time threatened his life.

J J O Connor [illegible] detective force of St Paul has arrived and will spend two weeks visiting various points of interest in the state.

Mr C E Newton late agent of the Northern Pacific Express Company in [illegible] city. He has resigned his place to go into the real estate business.

Mr W H Forter, late rate clerk in the general freight office has resigned his place to go into the newspaper business at Spokane. His place is taken by Mr Sidney F [illegible].

Charles E. Warner, youngest son of J G Warner who is on his way home from a two years sojourn at Cornell university telegraphs his father that he is snow bound at Soda Springs, Idaho about 700 miles east of Portland.

The following military party occupied a box at Shenandoah last night: Major James Jackson, Second cavalry, Fort Walla Walla; Captain Thomas Quinn, Fort Spokane; Captain J E Birmingham, Vancouver; Colonel J G C Lee department quartermaster Vancouver, and Colonel F J Parker, of Walla Walla. In another box were the following Port Townsend capitalists: B S Miller, Lieutenant W A Kimball, George Green, N J Levinson and F M Hammond, jr.

Oregonians Abroad.

A dispatch from San Francisco last night states that among the late arrivals from Portland are M McLockey, N R McMenzie and R [illegible] and wife.

Passengers for Portland.

OVERLAND.

Northern Pacific—Passed Ellison Mont on train No. 1 yesterday: D H Craig, A L Miller, L Voll and E O Porter.

Passengers for San Francisco.

STEAMER.

Per steamer Santa Rosa sailing hence for San Francisco at 10 P M Wednesday February [illegible]: James B Abrahams, Edee Dorels, Miss Ella Boyd, Mrs Bates, Mrs Rixon, Miss Bridges, Miss Ella Lark, Mrs Crombell, W B Willis, Robert Judgy, D E Millard, P Smith, Ellis L. Jones, Ward McAllister, J N Turner, E. A. Tracy, Thomas Alyn, J A Thornton, Frank F Hodgkins, C H Goodwin, C. Worth, M Mayer, D R. McLaughlin, A Miller, F W Vogt, C W Pervis, R H Frank, C Hendricksen, W W Robertson, R P Wells, C P Lindley, E. R. Bennett, W O Baue, Sol Stock, T A [illegible], J T Sheel, E R. Kimball, R H Binns, E C Michner, J O Marten, A. Frank, J J Levins, C Max, O C Churchill, A W Burrell, A G Martin, W A. Rainey, C A Lyons, A D Fielding, W F Sharp, H G Phillips, P Richilsih, C Spelmaer, J Dorn, W C Roberts, L. Schernbacher, C H Meussdorffer, Mrs W E. Rawlins, Mrs. Keeman, Mrs Kahn, Miss Cook, Mrs Blodgett, Mrs. J L Dunlap, John Sherman, J C Donnelly, F Upton, C A Tifan, Mrs. Lachman, Mr Fisher, F Clemens, Charles Reade, Miss Maxwell, B Campbell and wife, Miss Aldrich, Miss Gilman, Miss Annie Coxe, J B Sharp, A. R. Lewis, Dwight Williams, D Lemman, J Barris, G T Rodgers, Thomas Wood, J G Bridleman, W DeLacy, A C Carpenter and wife, J Aitken, D Dorward, J Aitken, George Weddle, Mrs. Lilly York and child, W A Martin, Miss Lilian, Mrs J E Price, Miss Meussdorffer and sixty three in the steerage.

SPIRIT OF THE NORTHWEST PRESS.

SUCCESS IS ASSURED.

Centralia *News*: Every Western man will throw up his hat and shout with joy at the triumph of Chicago in being chosen as the site for the World's fair. It is only another exemplification of what pluck perseverance and business sagacity can accomplish. It is right and proper that the phenomenal city of the country should be chosen as the place for celebrating the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus. With the choice of Chicago the success of the exposition is assured.

THERE MUST BE NO SHIRKING.

Tacoma *Ledger*: If, as now suggested, the legislature should shirk the tide land question, it would seriously delay many important enterprises in this city. The important thing, after all in connection with the tide lands, is to get them into the hands of those who will improve them, and so render them of importance and value to commerce and business. Gentlemen, there must be no shirking.

CHICAGO IS ON HER METTLE.

Salem *Statesman*: It is safe to say that all foreign visitors will go home more strongly impressed with America's greatness than if they had visited an exposition at New York or elsewhere on the seaboard from which they would not have gone five miles inland. Chicago is on her mettle now and for the next three years she will experience a "boom" that will eclipse everything else in that line.

THE MOST AMERICAN CITY.

Seattle *Post Intelligencer*: The news that congress had decided upon Chicago as the site for the grand exposition of 1892, commemorative of the discovery of America by Columbus will be received in this city and vicinity with general satisfaction. The decision is in strict accord with the fitness of things. The celebration of the discovery of America is to be held in the most eminently of cities American.

VICTORY GAINED BY PUSH.

Seattle *Journal*: The chief characteristic of Chicago is to "get there," and in the language of the day she has "got there with both feet." In the matter of the world's fair, congress having decided yesterday that Chicago was the best location. It is the Chicago habit typical of the West generally, to make up her mind what she wants and then to go after it and not rest until she gets it.

THE CENTER OF THE COUNTRY.

Tacoma *Globe*: Chicago being nearer the center of the country, it will be more convenient to the entire population of our own country to visit the fair and for numerous other reasons of which those presented are merely suggestions it is well that the world's fair and quadrennial celebration of the discovery of America is to be held at Chicago.

SELECT SET OF CRANKS.

Tacoma *Globe*: The nomination of a citizens' ticket means the nomination of a select set of cranks from both parties who do not deserve to belong to either, and which, if it could be possibly elected would prove to be a source of continual and [illegible] annoyance to the public and a detriment to all public interest.

AN UNFAIR DIVIDE.

Olympia *Partisan*: Pierce county is the wealthiest county in the state of Washington and cast more republican votes at the last election than any other county in the state. Tacoma cast over 700 more votes than Seattle at the same election and yet Tacoma got soup in the political divide. Why?

IMPETUS TO THE GIANT CITY.

Albany *Herald*: Chicago has won the contest and will have the World's fair in 1892. This will be a great impetus for the Giant City of the West.

Perfectly sure, perfectly pure, perfectly harmless is Simmons Liver Regulator.

Don't be a nuisance! Cure that cough with Kidd's Cough Syrup. 25 cents.

HOW THE TIDE RUNS.

Beginning of the Contest for Puget Sound Shoals.

EASTERN WASHINGTON DEFEATED

Improvers and Upland Owners Combine Against Auction Sales.

THREE FACTIONS IN THE FIGHT

Gov Ferry Vetoes the Power Bill, at the Same Time Rebuking Disobedient Legislators—They, However, Laugh at Him.

OLYMPIA, Feb 26.—[Special Telegram.]—The first day's debate on the tide lands question ended in the committee of the whole of the house of Washington, on [illegible] Speaker Feighan who [illegible] providing for the sale of the lands at public auction [illegible] recognizing the rights of neither upland owners nor owners of valuable improvements. It was a battle between Western and Eastern Washington, [illegible] the western members [illegible] improvers [illegible] owners of the tide lands [illegible] combined [illegible] decided [illegible] Neither [illegible] the other [illegible] only that [illegible] would have enabled it to down the other. The [illegible] owners had the best of what [illegible] it [illegible] the improvement men were foiled in one or two efforts [illegible] rights.

The house spent nearly the whole day on the question. After a little routine business had been done it went into committee of the whole, with [illegible] in the chair. The bill prepared by the special committee, Representative Clark the joint committee representative Moultray and Representative Foster's oyster land bill were read, after which the joint committee's bill was taken up for consideration. The debate was lively and interesting, and there was considerable [illegible] Speaker Feighan and Clark had a [illegible] the latter had a little the best of it.

Nearly all the senators were present to get pointers as they will be in the throes of the tide land question to-morrow. At one time the senate chamber was deserted. Lieutenant Governor Laughton called President pro tem Parkinson to the chair and he in turn called Guilford, and joined the crowd down stairs. At one time there was no one present but Guilford and the assistant secretary who was reading a long bill. When there was but a few senators present, Whalley offered a resolution inviting the attorney general to present his views on the tide land question to the senate in writing. It was voted down. The amendment which Speaker Feighan offered to the bill in the house to-day embodies the attorney general's views. When the committee arose it asked and was granted leave to sit again. The battle will be continued to-morrow.

It is to the interest of the improvement owners to prolong the fight, for they gain strength right along. They have the largest single following and hold the balance of power, but cannot swing a sufficient number of votes to pass a bill of their own liking. Fiercely combining with the upland owners they did not have sufficient strength to-day. The test vote was on Kuhn's amendment to section 10, which was offered in the interest of improvers. There were 28 for it and [illegible] against it.

The actual strength of the friends of the bill with the amendment as proposed by Kuhn is 31 votes or five less than the number necessary to pass it in the house. There are eleven doubtful votes and the other twenty eight are against the bill. The improvers hope to draw both from the opposition and from the doubtful eleven. Moultray has been trying to effect a combination between his forces and the improvers and thinks this would result in passage of the bill. The improvers would not hesitate to join a combination, but they have well grounded fears that the senate would kill Moultray's bill, and they would rather accept the joint committee bill with suitable amendments, than take the chance of securing no legislation at all. They don't care a snap for upland owners but those individuals happen to have a respectable following, which the improvers are inclined to cultivate as becoming issues with them, and the addition of a few recruits the combined forces can pass a bill which will recognize the rights of both riparian and improvement owners, the only bill for which there is any degree of certainty of favorable action in the senate. If section 10 is eliminated the deathknell to the bill will be sounded and there will probably be no tide land legislation.

The plan of the opposition is to secure the adoption of amendments that will make the bill obnoxious and finally compel even its own friends to vote against it. They see that they cannot win and are trying to prevent the triumph of the others. The friends of the bill understand the situation and will make a determined stand for their rights.

Since the adjournment of the house this afternoon the riparian and improvement owners have been strengthening their position in order to carry their amendment to section 10 to-morrow. They say the amendment would have carried this afternoon but for a misunderstanding. The senate is not disposed to take up the question until the house decides one way or the other and it is quite likely that to-morrow it will postpone consideration of the tide lands bill for a week or ten days.

Pickrell started the ball rolling by moving to strike out section 10, which is really the milk in the cocoanut. Without it the bill amounts to nothing. It recognizes first of all the rights of abutting owners, and then the rights of improvers when they are grantees of the abutting owners. A long debate ensued upon Eddy's amendment to strike out that portion of section 10, recognizing prior pre-emptive rights of abutting owners. Eddy held that it was not for the legislature to decide as to the rights of riparian owners. That is the duty of the courts. "What right," he asked, "has a man to the land in front of him because he happens to front on tide water?" Moultray said recognition of the rights of abutting owners would throw a cloud upon the title of the land. Speaker Feighan then offered the following substitute for sections 7, 8, 9 and 10, and a substitute for the pending motions of Pickrell and Eddy:

"Sec 7—The tide and shore lands herein mentioned shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder provided however that said lands shall not be sold for less than the appraised value thereof.

"Sec 8—When any person company or corporation has made valuable and permanent improvements on any of said lands for commerce, trade or business and said improvements are in actual use and were so used on or prior to January 1, 1890 the said improvements shall be appraised at their actual cash value, separate and apart from the land and be sold as a part of the land upon which they stand and out of the proceeds of the sale of such improved lands [illegible] the amount bid for said land and improvements equal or exceed the value of the land the state shall receive the amount of the appraised value of the land exclusive of the improvements and the owner of the improvements shall receive the appraised value of said improvements, and then the remainder of the proceeds of such sale shall go to the state but in no case shall the owner of said improvements be entitled or receive any part of the proceeds of such sale until the state has been paid the full appraised value of the land, exclusive of improvements."

Addressing himself to his question, the speaker said it was not for the legislature to decide upon rights or equities of any claimant for such a course would plunge the state into interminable legislation.

Clark protested against killing section 10 because he said it was substantially the same as his bill. He maintained that littoral and riparian owners have rights of access which the legislature can not take away. He quoted the writings of Justices Miller, Gould and Lewis to sustain his position.

Tucker was in favor of giving the first right of purchase to the improver. He held that there was no pre-emptive right to tide lands. "God," he said, "made the tide lands and it is our duty as a legislature to frame laws to govern them."

Evans in making a stand for proprietary and riparian rights spoke of Mt Rainier. "Mount Tacoma," said some one in an effort to correct him. "No sir, Mount Rainier," replied Evans with emphasis bringing his fist down on his desk. A [illegible] of applause followed. The point of the joke was in the fact that Evans is a Tacoma man and Tacoma people insist upon calling the grand old peak Mount Tacoma.

Evans went on to say that the state to-day stood in the attitude of trying to sell at public auction lands the ownership of which is now in litigation, the secretary of the interior not having decided on appeals in scrip cases. He closed by saying that this was not the proper time for judicious sale of the lands.

Harper wanted to lease the tide lands, not sell them. He wanted to offer a substitute bill for all the pending bills. His bill provided for the leasing of tide lands. The chair held that the substitute was out of order in committee of the whole.

Pickrell disclaimed any prejudice on the part of the Eastern Washington delegation against the tide land claimants and asserted that the bunch grassers only wanted to see the state get its rights. He thought the recognition of the rights of abutting owners was an unjust discrimination.

Plummer denied that recognition of the rights of upland owners would involve the state in litigation. He said the case was just the contrary. He cited Port Townsend, a case where a building was situated partly on upland and partly on tide land and asked how such a question as this could be settled, whether the tide land would have to be appraised and the building cut in twain and sold. He asserted further that if the rights of abutting owners are not recognized the state will not derive enough from the sale of tide land in the next three years to pay the expense of litigation, and added that if the tide land owner is given no right to reach his wharf over the land of the abutting owner the tide land would not be worth $1 50 an acre. He could not conceive how the exaggerated idea of the value of tide lands got abroad.

Nims said that if Feighan's amendment prevails all that would remain to be done would be to amend the title so that it would read "An act to insure spoliation."

McCoy held that if the lands were sold at public auction foreign syndicates might come in and purchase them [illegible] and virtually kill one of the greatest industries of the state. He said it would be an injustice to deny to the improver his vested right.

Gunderson strongly opposed Feighan's substitute. He said substantially that it was an effort to rob the improver of his rights.

On a vote Feighan's substitute was defeated—yeas 18 nays 46. Following is the vote:

AYES.

Browne, Pierce	Flummerfelt	Person
[illegible]	Grubb	Purdy
[illegible]	Hutchinson	Robertson
[illegible]	Oliphant	Tucker
[illegible]	Ostrander	[illegible]
[illegible]	Painter	Mr Speaker

NAYS.

[illegible]	Gilchrist	Minkler
[illegible]	Craft	Morse
Blackburn	[illegible]	Moultray
[illegible]	[illegible]	Nash
[illegible]	Hughes	Nims
Brown of Spokane	Huntington	Peterson
[illegible]	Judson Whatcom	Pickrell
Clark	Kandle	Plummer
Cook	Kennedy	[illegible]
Cornwall	Kuhn	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	Sharpe
[illegible]	McReavy	Shaw
Evans	[illegible]	Stevenson
Foster	Metcalf	Straight
Gandy	Meador	Tucker
Geoghegan		

Kuhn then moved to strike out that part of section 10 requiring the improver to be the grantee of the upland owner in order to have exclusive right of purchase. Kuhn set forth that this amendment would protect mill owners, wharf owners and all who have made improvements. Kuhn accepted the suggestion to use the word "preferred" instead of "exclusive" and the amendment came to vote. It was defeated—yeas 28 nays [illegible].

The fight now was on section 10. Pickrell's motion to kill it was pending. Feighan led the opposition to the section. After considerable debate Allen bobbed up with an amendment giving pre-emptive right for a distance of 500 feet from the line of ordinary high tide or such part thereof as lies within the harbor line. The object in this was to confine the shore owner to land immediately in front of him and to prevent him building a mile or a mile and a half over the tide flats to deep water. The amendment was rejected after which the committee arose and asked leave to sit again.

Governor Ferry sent his veto of the Power medical bill to the house this morning, together with a sarcastic reference to the fact that in his first message he recommended the enactment of a good medical law, and an ironical renewal of his recommendation. The veto contains nearly 3000 words. Gov Ferry thus sums up Dr Power's bill:

"The laws to be enacted, however, should not contravene the plain provisions of the constitution—they should not confer upon a small body of persons undefined, unlimited and autocratic powers under which certain classes of our fellow citizens might be made to suffer irreparable injustice and a still larger class be deprived of the right to employ such medical advice and assistance as may to them seem proper and advisable—a right which they have always regarded as sacred and constitutional."

Gov Ferry's objections to the bill are itemized as follows: First—The legislature undoubtedly has power to provide for a board of medical examiners but it cannot confer upon such board unconstitutional powers. Second—Under section 3 the board may refuse to grant a physician a license on the ground that it is not satisfied with his examination, and he has no appeal from the decision. The only appeals which the bill recognizes are for refusal or revocation of license for unprofessional or dishonorable conduct. Third—The bill confers upon one class of citizens important privileges which cannot, under the same terms, be enjoyed by another class and is therefore in conflict with section 12 of the declaration of rights. It authorizes physicians now in the state to continue practicing without an examination while new comers must undergo an examination. Fourth—Section 7 expressly excepts from its operation a certain class which cannot constitutionally be done. Fifth—The bill confers legislative powers upon the board of examiners, in that it gives the board power to prescribe what is unprofessional and dishonorable conduct. Sixth—Under the bill a person may be deprived by the board of his license which, under the constitution, is his property. No trial is provided for, no notice is required to be given to him, and if after his license is revoked, he continues to practice, he may be fined and imprisoned.

The veto was read in the house at the beginning of the afternoon session. Together with the bill it was laid on the table for the present.

It is Governor Ferry who has put his hand into the fire this time. He finds himself in the anomalous position of having signed a provision in one bill which he vetoed in another. Senator Kinnear's bill prescribing the duties of the governor which he signed to-day, contains the following requirement: "In case the governor absents himself from the state he shall prior to such departure from the state notify the lieutenant governor of such proposed absence and during such absence of the governor from the state, the lieutenant-governor shall perform all the duties of the governor." Section 2 of Senator Clough's bill prescribing the duties of the lieutenant governor which Gov Ferry vetoed about two weeks ago contained precisely the same idea in these words: "In case of the absence of the governor from the state the lieutenant governor shall act as governor, during such absence of the governor." Governor Ferry in his veto maintained that the "absence from the state" provision according to his construction of the constitution was both unnecessary and unconstitutional. Commenting on this he wrote: "If the legislature can provide that absence of the governor from the state will authorize the lieutenant governor to act as governor may not the legislature also provide that absence of the governor from the capital or from his office will authorize the lieutenant governor to assume the duties of the office of governor." The legislature has actually allowed the lieutenant-governor to do just what the governor did not want him to do and everybody is having a quiet laugh at his excellency's expense this evening.

A Union veteran named George Hazzard who is said to have a good record arrived from Tacoma this morning with a pamphlet protesting against the establishment of a soldiers' home, his object being to prevent the concurrence of the senate in the house amendments to Senator Kinnear's bill and if that is impossible to prevent the approval of the bill by Governor Ferry. Hazzard stated that they who are loudest in praise of the bill were those who had seen the least service, whereupon Representative Brown of Spokane, who carries an ounce of Confederate lead as a memento of the war jumped on him and called him a damn liar, a fool and a crank. Brown carried the day.

A Spokane Falls correspondent in this morning's *Post Intelligencer* writes a long and absurd story about Senator B C Van Houten's connection with the Seattle Lake Shore & Eastern railroad cases, and goes into Senator Van Houten's private affairs. The story strongly intimated that Senator Van Houten perjured himself in a recent lawsuit in Spokane Falls. To-night Senator Van Houten indignantly denied the aspersions cast upon him by the Seattle paper and brands the stories as being utterly false and without foundation.

Representatives Hughes, Blackburn and Person made application a few days since for commissions as notaries public, and the question was raised whether according to article 2, section 13 of the constitution, which prohibits a member of the legislature being appointed or elected to any civil office during his term a member could be appointed a notary. Governor Ferry referred the question to Attorney General Jones who has decided that notarial commissions can be issued to legislators.

There is some definite proposal now of an early adjournment. The senate to-day concurred in Grant's resolution appointing a special committee of fifteen chairmen of important committees ten from the senate and five from the house to examine pending business and suggest the date of final adjournment. The senate's committee consists of Senators Fairweather, Van Houten, Long, Clough and Wooding. The house has not yet named its committee.

The joint committee on compensation to-night reconstructed its bill but retained the classification recently adopted. The proposition to provide for the cost of clerks, deputies etc., by additional compensation consisting of 50 or 60 per cent of the fees collected has been abandoned, the attorney general having decided it to be unconstitutional. The officers will get fixed salaries.

The joint committee on revenue and taxation to-night smashed some of its previous work into smithereens. The poll tax provision was thrown out also all provisions for taxing notes or other evidences of indebtedness. The mortgage tax having been excluded this leaves only real and personal property and money to be taxed. The bill will be reported Friday.

Governor Ferry to-day signed the following bills: S. B. 79 authorizing cities and towns organized prior to the adoption of the constitution to extend their credit and fund their indebtedness; S. B. 131, providing for the debt of Washington territory; S. B. 165 extending and enlarging the limits of cities, towns and villages.

The senate committee on harbor lines will introduce a bill to-morrow defining harbor lines, and on [illegible] establishing a [illegible] there, defining [illegible] provide for the [illegible] commission [illegible] the legislature [illegible]

Senator K[illegible] will introduce [illegible] bill providing [illegible] a public [illegible] tide lands [illegible] of incorporated [illegible] including [illegible] Seattle, all [illegible] streams [illegible] tide lands.

The house harbor committee agreed to report favorably [illegible] Stevenson's bill [illegible] corporations [illegible] streams and [illegible] to [illegible] logs [illegible]

Shaw's bill appropriating $10,000 [illegible] to [illegible] improvement [illegible] Washington [illegible] the house [illegible]

[illegible] Proceedings [illegible]

The senate to-day killed Grubb's bill [illegible]

By [illegible] passed.

By the judiciary committee [illegible]

By [illegible] passed.

By Clemish—[illegible] passed.

[illegible] House Proceedings.

In the house [illegible] introduced [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] Seattle [illegible]

SEATTLE [illegible] days [illegible] the match [illegible] other contestants were afraid [illegible] them.

Policeman Sheehan [illegible] the shot he received in Whitechapel [illegible] morning.

Clarke County [illegible]

VANCOUVER, W[illegible] Feb [illegible] gram.]—The vault of the county [illegible] was opened [illegible] deeds and mortgages [illegible] to arrive [illegible] when a meeting [illegible] place to [illegible] temporarily [illegible] treasurer, [illegible] state judge [illegible] county officers.

Cattle Pe[illegible] shington [illegible]

GOLDENDALE, Feb. 26—[Special [illegible]] Reports are coming in [illegible] Frank Lea, [illegible] Chemawi [illegible] days ago [illegible] head are probably [illegible] tion is rapidly be[illegible] been but [illegible] it is estimated [illegible] cent. west of Rock [illegible]

Death of Hon. Henry Hiles.

OLYMPIA, Feb 26—[Special Telegram.]—Henry Hilsdale [illegible] residence [illegible] to-day. The funeral will take place [illegible] was a member of [illegible] first territorial [illegible] served several [illegible] from Lewis county [illegible] in 1867. He served [illegible] wars of the [illegible] members of the [illegible] Thompson of Pierce being one of them.

B[illegible]

VICTORIA, Feb. 26—[illegible] provincial government has received [illegible] advices regarding the [illegible] sea matter. It is generally believed [illegible] ment has been rescinded [illegible] son declaring that the [illegible] and that the claim of [illegible] and skins will be allowed.

News From Roseburg.

ROSEBURG, Feb. 26—[Special Telegram.]—three teachers, the largest number [illegible] examination in Douglas county [illegible] certificates. The public [illegible] with an enrollment of 516 pupils.

To-day was the coldest of the year, the thermometer marking 15 degrees [illegible]

McMinnville is Aroused.

MCMINNVILLE, Feb 26—[Special Correspondence.]—The people here are delighted [illegible] prospect of the change of the narrow [illegible] standard gauge through this part of the [illegible] and steps will be taken to induce [illegible] this place to [illegible] directly through this town.

The Grass Valley Flechade [illegible]

GRASS VALLEY, Feb 26.—The railroad [illegible] to Colfax, and great piles of [illegible] ceived this afternoon. The railroad [illegible] opened between here and Nevada City [illegible] ditches are broken somewhere [illegible] tains and water power for the mines [illegible] wanting.

Supreme Court of Washington.

OLYMPIA, Feb 26—[Special Telegram.]—supreme court. Chamberlain vs. W[illegible] ued till May session by consent of [illegible] This was the only case on the docket [illegible] The superior court met to-day.

A Rubber Trust Formed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The controlling [illegible] in the importing and manufacturing [illegible] has been formed into a trust company [illegible] rangements will be completed [illegible] ber has been steadily advancing in [illegible] and the prospects are, now that [illegible] been formed it will go much higher [illegible] ing of rubber [illegible] in this city to-day nearly all the [illegible] country were also represented [illegible] bers said the trust was formed [illegible] short supply of rubber and the [illegible] vance in prices.

Nine Men Seen Clinging to a Wreck.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—The steamship [illegible] which arrived to-day encountered [illegible] and heavy seas Friday and Saturday [illegible] day a wrecked sailing vessel was passed [illegible] the masts were broken off and the [illegible] ing around as though she could not [illegible] der. Nine men were seen upon the [illegible] pite the terrible seas Capt. [illegible] ered, and an officer and five men [illegible] attempt a rescue. The boat was [illegible] sized and one of the crew lost [illegible] thought it madness to make another [illegible] proceeded on his voyage.

An American Exporting [illegible]

NEW YORK, Feb 26.—A number of [illegible] ufacturers met to-night to consider the [illegible] of organizing an exporting trust [illegible] run by the [illegible] company, with branches at Brisbane [illegible] It is proposed to form a trust with [illegible] of $50 000 000. It is to be representative [illegible] branch of trade and will include [illegible] country. Its object will be to [illegible] American goods as can be [illegible] ported. The several firms [illegible] ness to enter the trust.

Virginia and New Mexico [illegible]

RICHMOND, Va. Feb. 26.—The house [illegible] on railroads reported a bill to [illegible] Virginia, Missouri & Western Railroad [illegible] The object is to construct a road [illegible] Va. to the line on the New Mexico [illegible] tic & Pacific and Atchison & Topeka [illegible] distance of 1040 m[illegible].

A Louisiana Assassination.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 26.—In the [illegible] field last Monday [illegible] J C White [illegible] was killed [illegible] Harmon [illegible] dangerously wounded. William [illegible] at several [illegible] escaped [illegible] and a man named [illegible]

The Ohio [illegible]

COLUMBUS, Feb. 26.—The lower house [illegible] legislature this [illegible] passed the [illegible] the [illegible] by the [illegible] which was [illegible] and introduced [illegible] body.

Silk [illegible]

JERSEY CITY, [illegible] 26.—[illegible] well known silk manufacturer, [illegible] cide this morning by stabbing himself [illegible] the heart. Financial troubles were [illegible] the suicide.

Another [illegible]

LONDON, [illegible] been arrested [illegible] ber of the [illegible] of complicity [illegible]

Furt[illegible] blood by [illegible]

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Purchase [illegible] tickets and [illegible] sleep[illegible] street corner Washington [illegible] Pacific Railroad.

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FURY OF THE F[illegible]

Narrative of Witnesses [illegible] Walnut Grove Fresh[illegible]

GORGED IN A NARROW [illegible]

A Messenger Sent to Warn Those Be[illegible] and Got Drunk Instead—Th[illegible] Was a Miserable Structure

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"We came up to the Hassayampa [illegible] said "from Wickenburg prospec[illegible] the river. We left Wickenburg five [illegible] to the disaster passing several [illegible] way who were prospecting and who [illegible] inevitably been lost. Three nights [illegible] the flood we camped with three [illegible] lower dam. They had a freighting [illegible] sisting of several animals and [illegible] learned that the men had escaped [illegible] outfit of animals wagons, clothing [illegible] thing. They had been compelled [illegible] river thirty seven times between the [illegible] We were two days coming from the [illegible] upper dam.

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"We had gone to sleep but about [illegible] were awakened by Brown [illegible] Mr Dwe[illegible] Get up! [illegible] broken. Soon afterwards there [illegible] four feet which was perfectly [illegible] We arose and looking out saw [illegible] ing out of the dam. Inside of [illegible] had disappeared entirely [illegible] sixty to ninety feet feet deep [illegible] born and worked his way down [illegible] tions cliffs of the river about [illegible] camp of the miners had been [illegible]

"The light attracted the a[illegible] named Francis M. Parker, on the [illegible] Lostram, who called for help [illegible] see him in the darkness, and [illegible] to reach him he returned to the [illegible] accompanied by a Mexican and [illegible] with ropes went down to re[illegible] mained there until daylight. [illegible] away up on the side of [illegible] eighty feet above the river [illegible] We called and motioned to him [illegible] to the stream. We threw a rope to [illegible] was afraid to risk crossing [illegible] ing but his underclothes on, and [illegible] bare and all cut and bruised fro[illegible] among the rocks. We tied matc[illegible] and threw them to him and when he [illegible] himself we motioned him to go [illegible] which he did and was assisted across [illegible] and provided with clothing.

"He stated that while himself and [illegible] previously been afraid [illegible] at no fear whatever [illegible] bad feeling that nothing wo[illegible] the night they were awakened by [illegible] someone had thrown a pan [illegible] their cabin. He heard one of [illegible] out of bed and exclaim [illegible] that! and never heard [illegible] of them afterwards. The [illegible] he was lifted against the side [illegible] and he caught hold of the r[illegible] formed an eddy where the c[illegible] save, and the cabin was [illegible] the water and after floating [illegible] for a while the roof was [illegible] driven in against the bluff [illegible] bushes and drew himself out [illegible] pushed up the side of the bluff [illegible] broken rocks with all possible [illegible] and called for his partners, but [illegible] that came back to him was the [illegible] of the torrent."

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TTLE Feb 26.—[Special [illegible] contests were [illegible]

eeman Sheehan is rapidly [illegible] that he received in Whitechapel Monday rg.

rke County Records Not Destroyed

NCOUVER, Wash., Feb 26.—[Special]—The vault of the county pened this afternoon and mortgage County Commissioner Cowan rive here this afternoon from La Camas a meeting of the commission to decide immediately for providing ply suitable room for urer, probate judge, county clerk and other ty officers

att e Perishing on Klickitat R

LENDALE, Feb 26.—[Special Telegram]—orts are coming in of the loss of cattle k Lea son of Colonel Lee fifteen head of cows ego was cut off are probably dead by this time. The situation is rapidly becoming desperate but the loss the last week will be fully west of Rock creek and 20 per cent

Death of Capt Henry Miles.

MPIA Feb 26.—[Special Telegram]—ry Miles died at his residence near y. The funeral will take place Friday e member of the first territorial several subsequent terms in the Lewis county and was speaker He served days. Mr death leaves bers of the first legislature mpson of Pierce being one of them.

Behring Sea Opened.

VICTORIA Feb. 26.—It is understood vincial government has received regarding the settlement of the Behring matter. It is generally believed that it has been reached relative to the deciding that the sea is open to all il at the claim of Victoria sealers for skins will be allowed.

News From Roseburg.

SEBURG Feb 26.—[Special Telegram] e teachers the largest number dation at Douglas county to-day tes. The public school closed an enrollment of 516 pupils. -day was the coldest of the year, the meter marking 15 degrees above zero.

McMinnville is Aroused

CMINNVILLE, Feb 26.—[Special Correspondence]—The people here are delighted with spect of the change of the narrow gauge lard gauge through this part of the county steps will be taken at once by the citizens to induce the present owners to city through this town.

The Grass Valley Blockade Broken.

RASS VALLEY Feb 26.—The railroad is flax and great piles of delayed mail were ed this afternoon. The railroad is not med between here and Nevada City. The s came broken somewhere up in the s and water power for the mines is at present ting

Supreme Court of Washington.

LYMPIA Feb 26.—[Special Telegram.]—In the reme court Chamberlain vs. Winn till May session by consent of both parties was the only case on the docket for superior court met to-day

A Rubber Trust Formed.

w YORK, Feb 25.—The entire rubber the importing and manufacturing been formed into a trust company gements will be completed to-morrow has been steadily advancing in price the prospects are that a combination formed. It will go much higher. At a meeting of rubber boot and shoe manufacturers this city to-day nearly all the importers ntry were also represented. One of the s said the trust was formed because rt supply of rubber and the consequent ce in prices

Nine Men Seen Clinging to a Wreck.

NEW YORK Feb. 26.—The Steamship ich arrived to-day, encountered fierce heavy seas Friday and Saturday last a wrecked sailing vessel was passed masts were broken off and she was around as though she could not obey Nine men were seen upon the wreck the terrible seas Capt. had a boat and an officer and five men entered mpt a rescue. The boat was and one of the crew lost. Capt. ght it madness to make another attempt ceeded on his voyage.

An American Exporting Trust.

NEW YORK Feb. 26.—A number of Newark facturers met to-night to consider the feasibility organizing an exporting trust similar to the by the Wheeler company which nches at Brisbane, Queensland and Sydney proposed to form a trust with a capital $10,000,000. It is to be represented nch of trade and will include ntry. Its object will be to distribute ner can goods as can be advantageously ted. The several firms expressed a willingness s to enter the trust.

Virginia and New Mexico Railroad.

RICHMOND Va Feb 26.—The house committee railroads reported a bill to incorporate ginia, Missouri & Western Railroad Company object is to construct a road from to the junction in New Mexico of the Pacific and Atchison & Topeka railroads ance of 1640 miles.

A Louisiana Assassination.

w ORLEANS Feb 26.—In the town of last Monday night J C White deputy sheriff killed by assassins. Harmon was ngerously wounded several times, but a man named Hale have been arrested.

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Feb 26.—The lower house of the passed the congressional was agreed upon body introduced in the

Silk Manufacturer Commits Suicide.

JERSEY CITY Feb 26.—Claude Chaffanjon, a known silk manufacturer committed this morning by stabbing himself financial trouble were the cause

Another [illegible] Arrest

LONDON Feb 26.—[illegible] been arrested on a of the council a plot to blow open

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FURY OF THE FLOOD.

Narrative of Witnesses of the Walnut Grove Freshet.

[illegible] IN A NARROW CANYON

A Messenger Sent to Warn Those Below Went and Got Drunk Instead—The Dam Was a Miserable Structure.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., Feb. 26.—The two prospectors who arrived from the upper dam at Walnut Grove give the following account of their experience. Their names are Moses and Robert Moore, two Bostonians who recently arrived here from Colorado. When found they were engaged cleaning fish for their supper stating that they had secured enough fish from the wreck of the dam to last them ever since the disaster. Many of their fish were found eighty feet above the level of the creek, on the sides of the bluffs. The brothers say they are the last two men who ever made the journey alive between the two dams.

"We came up to the Hassayampa," one of them said, "from Wickenburg, prospecting all along the river. We left Wickenburg five days previous to the disaster, passing several parties on the way who were prospecting and who must have partially been lost. Three nights previous to the flood we camped with three men near the lower dam. They had a freighting outfit, consisting of several animals, and we afterward learned that the men had escaped, but lost their outfit of animals wagons, clothing, and everything. They had been compelled to cross the river thirty-seven times between the two dams. We were two days coming from the lower to the upper dam.

"The last night, which was Wednesday, we camped about a mile below the big dam with three men named Fenshaw, Packer and 'Frenchy.' On Thursday it was raining heavily and we came direct to Walnut Grove dam, camping in the company's bank house. Friday morning the water in the dam was raising at the rate of eighteen inches an hour, with all the sluices open, and Superintendent Brown had fifteen men employed all day in blasting out a waste water way to increase its capacity to allow the escape of water. The two big pipes at the bottom of the dam were also open and running to their full capacity. The water reached the bottom of the waste water way, which is several feet lower than the top of the dam about 4 o'clock, and it rushed through it with such force that it washed out the sides and increased its size to nearly double what it was before. It kept increasing its width, washing mostly on the side next the house. In spite of the immense volume of water which went through the passage it still continued to rise in the dam until 11 o'clock at night, when it commenced to pour over the top of the structure, 110 feet high, with a whizzing deafening weird sound like the ocean beating against the rocks.

"At 4 o'clock in the afternoon Superintendent Brown, seeing the dam must inevitably go, sent a messenger to the lower dam to notify them of the danger but he stopped at a saloon on the road, became drunk and failed to deliver his message, returning to the wreck of the dam next morning. The feeling against him was so strong there that he immediately left. Another messenger was sent at 8.30 in the evening, but owing to the darkness and fury of the storm he could make but slow progress, and was overtaken and drowned by the flood just as he neared the lower dam. Superintendent Brown camped at the dam all night and watched the irresistible progress of the flood, but was powerless to do more than he had already done.

"We had gone to sleep, but about 12 o'clock we were awakened by Brown calling to his foreman, Mr. Dwyer: 'Get up Phil. I think the dam has broken.' Soon afterwards there was a tremendous roar, which was perfectly indescribable and we arose and looking out saw the water rush out of the dam. Inside of two hours water had disappeared entirely from where it was from sixty to ninety feet deep. Dwyer took a lantern and worked his way down along the precipitous cliffs of the river about a mile, where the camp of the miners had been located.

"The light attracted the attention of a man named Francis M. Parker, on the opposite side of the stream, who called for help. We could not see him in the darkness, and it being impossible to reach him he returned to the dam and we two, accompanied by a Mexican and Italian provided with ropes, went down to rescue him. We remained there until daylight. We could see him away up on the side of the hill, eighty feet above the river, among the brush. We called and motioned to him to come down to the stream. We threw a rope to him but he was afraid to risk crossing with it. He had nothing but his underclothes on, and his feet were bare and all cut and bruised from climbing among the rocks. We tied matches to a stone and threw them to him, and when he had warmed himself we motioned him to go up the stream which he did, and was assisted across the waters and provided with clothing.

"He stated that while himself and partners had previously been afraid the dam would break, they had no fear whatever this time, and had gone to bed feeling that nothing would occur. During the night they were awakened by a sound as if somebody had thrown a handful of stones against their cabin. He heard one of his partners jump out of bed and exclaim, 'My God, what is that?' and never heard or saw anything of them afterwards. The next moment he was lifted against the roof of the cabin and he caught hold of the rafters. The water formed an eddy where the cabin stood, in a little cove, and the cabin was raised to the surface of the water and after floating around in this eddy for a while the roof was struck by a big wave and driven against the bluff, when he seized some bushes and drew himself out of the water and climbed up the side of the hill, over the sharp and broken rocks, with all possible speed. He called and called for his partners, but the only answer that came back to him was the thundering roar of the torrent."

Concluding his own story, Moore said: "After leaving Parker we continued our search down the canyon, but found nothing but dead fish and evidences of the greatest devastation. The water line along the bluffs was clearly marked, as every particle of soil and vegetation had been swept away, leaving only lines defining the different strata of rock, and it will remain there for years. Numerous trees had been broken off, while the few left standing were stripped of all foliage, limbs and even their bark, leaving them bare poles. In a little side creek tributary to the Hassayampa on the east side could be seen where the water backed up several hundred feet, and marks on the hills showing it to have been 100 feet deep."

Proffers of assistance from outside towns have already been received, but the present wants of the survivors have been amply supplied. Goods [illegible] were forwarded from Prescott to-day while a telegram from Phoenix announces that aid in the shape of clothing and provisions had been sent from that place.

One man was seen to start for a place of safety and seeing escape was impossible bravely turned his face to the flood to meet his fate. Nothing was ever seen of him after being struck by the water. Another man was seen going up a steep hill and had reached a point about fifty feet above the level of the river bank when the mighty volume of water struck and killed him.

A FEEBLE WALL.

CHICAGO, Feb 26.—In conversation with a *News* reporter to-night regarding the Arizona dam disaster, F. B. Priest an engineer of Phœnix said the disaster was due to faulty construction. Engineer Bates, first in charge of the work proposed to have the spaces between the walls filled with concrete instead of loose rock as was done. Because of the cost, sufficient cement was not used to make the wall and foundation secure. Priest examined the dam last June and says it was leaking badly in the middle then. He asserts that the statements made as to the cost of the dam are erroneous and that as built it did not cost more than $150 000.

THE OHIO VERY FULL.

Fifty-two Feet Above Low Water—Part of Cincinnati Inundated.

CINCINNATI, Feb 26.—At 10 o'clock to-night the Ohio river at this point is just fifty two feet above low water and is still rising at the rate of two inches an hour. The sky is overcast and threatening but the temperature is falling materially and the signal service here says colder weather is expected before morning. Should it come, it would check the rise quite materially. If a heavy rain should set in along the valley before morning and continue during the day it would cause a dangerous flood. Present indications under the present conditions are that the rise will not be over fifty five or fifty six feet. Navigation is suspended, because boats cannot pass under the bridges and also because the landings are about covered with water. Back water up Mill creek has inundated a few gardens, but it comes too early in the season to damage them much.

LOUISVILLE, Feb 26.—Heavy rains are reported throughout the state. At Frankfort the Kentucky river is rising very rapidly. Great loss is reported.

At Leathley Tenn., the bank building belonging to Winslow & Bros was blown to splinters. Thirty five persons were in the building at the time. Six were more or less injured, but none fatally.

At Marion Ky., during a wind storm, the courthouse was partly blown down and the records badly damaged. Other buildings were unroofed and several business houses more or less damaged.

MEMPHIS, Tenn. Feb 26.—The damage by yesterday's cyclone at Brownsville was $50 000. One woman was killed and two children severely hurt.

OATHS OF FREE MASONS.

An Expose of Terrible Pledges That Reads Like a Mollie Maguire Ritual

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 26.—[Special Telegram.]—A sensation has been caused in Masonic circles here by a suit brought by the New Haven Binding Company against E. M. Trowbridge for $170 for printing a book containing an expose of Masonry. Trowbridge has disappeared. The oaths used are given in full in the book. That of an apprentice promised to never betray the secrets, on penalty of having his throat cut from ear to ear, his tongue torn out by the roots and his body buried in the rough sands of the sea, where the tide ebbs and flows.

A master mason swore to perform his duties faithfully, under penalty of having his body severed in twain and divided north and south, his bowels burned to ashes and scattered to the four winds of heaven, that there might not remain the least trace among men of so vile and perjured a one as he should be were he to violate the oath. Several Masons claim the alleged expose is not in accordance with the work of Free Masonry as at present practiced.

ALONG THE CHEROKEE LINE.

The White Tents of an Army of Boomers Preparing to Enter.

ARKANSAS CITY, Kan., Feb 26.—Cherokee "boomers" continue to arrive and the banks of the Walnut river from this city to the Indian territory line are dotted with tents where the claimers make their temporary abode, pending opening of the Cherokee strip to settlement.

A number of heads of families were interviewed to-day on the motives that induced their early arrival on the ground. All disclaimed any connection with a secret organization whose object is to occupy the strip by force of arms as soon as the president's proclamation ejecting cattle goes into effect. Their early arrival and numerous accessions to their number indicate that the rush into the strip will equal that into the Oklahoma country last spring.

Another Canadian Pacific Railroad.

OTTAWA Feb 26.—The bill of the Northwestern Coal & Navigation Company, to build a road from Lethbridge by way of Fort McLeod to the summit of Crow's Nest pass thence to British Columbia, was amended before the railway committee yesterday so as to prevent the road from securing a monopoly of the pass, as it is the only outlet to British Columbia in that region.

Death of an Eminent Educator.

ROCHESTER, N. Y. Feb 26.—News is received of the death of Dr. Martin Brewer Sanderson at Lake Helen, Florida. Dr. Sanderson was one of the leading educators of the country. He was president of Rochester university from 1850 to 1888, and prior to that time editor of the New York *Observer*, and professor and president of Colby university, at Waterville, Me.

Only Pauper Graves Should Be Robbed.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Feb 26.—The grave-robbing physicians were released on bail to-day. A prominent physician says there was no occasion for the robbery. All the medical colleges here employed one man to obtain subjects, who is instructed to open only paupers' graves and in no case molest that of any one who has friends to be pained by the discovery.

A Pittsburg Convent for Sale.

PITTSBURG Feb. 26.—The entire property of the Ursuline convent will be offered at public sale in spite of the interference of the pope. The sale is the outcome of a quarrel between Mother Superior Alphonse and Bishop Phelan, who deposed Mother Alphonse and placed another sister in charge. The property is valued at $400,000.

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THE SITE OF THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Lake Front Park, Chicago, in the Very Heart of the City.

CHICAGO Feb. 26.—Lake Front park will almost certainly be the site of the world's fair. The *Daily News* says authoritatively that so far as the Chicago sub-committee can decide the question the location is settled. The scheme provides for widening the park out from 500 to 1,000 feet. This will give 250 acres for buildings, promenades, depots, etc. The Illinois Central tracks now skirting the water's edge are to be lowered below the grade and covered with grass plot, as a permanent improvement.

The scheme will increase five times the space of Lake Front park and provide the largest park in the world, located in the very center of a great city. The site as outlined is twenty two acres larger than the grounds of the Paris exposition. Lake front is the focus of all street car lines in the city, and is on the Belt line railway which crosses every railway track entering Chicago. The harbor will also be greatly improved.

The British Conquest.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.—A local paper has the latest English syndicate story to the effect that one has been formed to make a school book trust here. It is asserted the syndicate has secured the option of six or more of the largest school book publishing houses in America, including Ivison, Blakeman & Co. and Appleton & Co.

SIMPLY MARVELOUS.

SCARCELY eight months ago a medical discovery was placed upon the market bearing the title "THE GREAT SIERRA KIDNEY and LIVER CURE," and whose virtue was claimed to be the cure of kidney and liver complaints. ITS INTRODUCTION WAS THE SIGNAL FOR ONE OF THE GREATEST SUCCESSES ever achieved by a patent medicine on the Pacific Coast, as the afflicted quickly ascertained that it was far more efficacious and beneficial than had been claimed, as THE MOST WONDERFUL CURES WERE ACCOMPLISHED IN SUCH A BRIEF TIME as to seem MIRACULOUS. The testimony of hundreds who have been lifted from sickness and misery to health and happiness bears no uncertain sound, and they join in glowing testimonials of universal praise, hoping thereby to induce other unfortunates to drink of the font which restores that which is priceless—health. ONE TRIAL WILL CONVINCE THE MOST DESPAIRING THAT AT LAST A DISCOVERY HAS BEEN MADE which will restore a disorganized system and bring glowing health out of pale and sallow decline. One dollar per bottle. Six bottles for five dollars.

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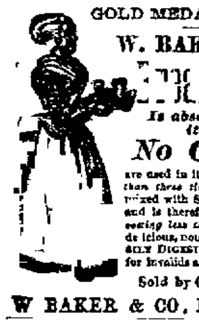

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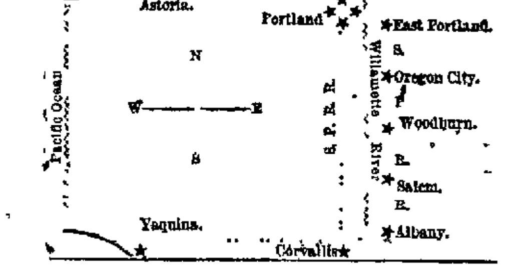

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VANCOUVER IS AGAIN ISOLATED

Sheriff A. N. Hamilton's Desperate Chase After Escaped Prisoners.

INSECURITY OF OREGON'S JAILS

An Old Deed Photographed Yesterday—Articles Signed for a Ten Round Scientific Contest—Forests and Rain.

"Did you ever see anything like it?" was a question more than once asked the reporter yesterday afternoon by pedestrians hurrying through the streets, with their mitted hands covering purple ears. Captain James W Troup says he has seen a good deal of unpleasant weather during the many years of his experience in Oregon, but he cannot recollect ever having seen it so cold this late in February, and cannot now account for it. Two freezeups a year is a common occurrence, but one so late was never before heard of

The Columbia, which has been threatening to freeze for two days past, froze entirely over Tuesday night and Wednesday morning, and steamers that were unlucky enough to be caught above Vancouver—the Ione being one of the number—had a very hard and disagreeable job working their way to the mouth of the Willamette from which point there is an unobstructed course to the city. The Ione steamed swiftly up the stream in the afternoon about 2 o clock, and made fast at the foot of Alder street, where a reporter stepped aboard. Her general appearance bespoke a frigid trip. The wheel house and side mouldings were covered with heavy ice, while from the projecting guards hung long and pointed icicles. Captain Buchanan said the ice in the big river commenced running at 11 o clock Tuesday night, and yesterday's rising sun saw the river with a covering of solid ice to the depth of two inches. The captain became uneasy at the sudden turn of affairs and yesterday morning, fearing that further delay would shut him out entirely from reaching Portland he refused both freight and passengers, and leaving a point as near La Camas as the steamer could get the Ione was turned around and started for home. In many places the ice had frozen so hard that the boat was almost brought to a stand still, and a good part of the way the steamer could not attain a greater speed than a mile an hour, so great was the pressure on the bow

A short distance below La Camas the captain espied the launch Rowena, which had left Portland the day before to grapple for the body of C H. Perkins the engineer who was drowned during the early part of last week. The boat had been unable to reach the desired point, Rooster Rock and in turning around had become frozen fast. Signaling the Ione, that steamer broke up the ice around the launch, and setting the small boat again free again started down the river with the Rowena following about 100 feet in the rear where the water was clear. The heaviest ice was encountered just above Vancouver, and soon after passing through it became packed solid.

The Rowena would certainly have been in a very unenviable position had not the Ione come to her assistance, for after once more getting under way the small boat was forced to follow with her bow very close to the steamer's wheel house because the ice again came together and froze within 200 feet of the boat's stern. Some distance above Vancouver, the captain reports having passed the steamer Maria, towing a raft of logs. The boat did not appear to be making more than half a mile an hour, and had a great deal harder ice yet to meet. She was steaming down, stern first, breaking up the ice with her wheel. It was thought that she cannot make it and may have become fast in the ice.

The transfer ferry at Vancouver, at that time, about 12 M. was with great difficulty wiggling her way through to the other side of the river, and later reports show that it was necessary to tie her up for awhile. A gentleman who came from Vancouver on the motor yesterday afternoon stated that the company had cancelled the last two trips owing to the uncertainty of making ferry connections. No schedule time can yet be made and it is useless for the trains to attempt regular trips. The steamer Undine left Vancouver for Portland at 4 o'clock yesterday morning and the Oklahama arrived there at 3 o clock in the afternoon, having been sent to take out the transfer scows.

The Ione after reaching the mouth of the Willamette soon left behind the little Rowena which had all the way followed the big boat, and arrived in Portland having been eight hours and a half in making a two and a half hour run

The steamer Lurline left her dock in the morning yesterday for the Cascades. Getting as far down as the mouth of the Willamette, nothing but dangerous looking ice could be seen, and the steamer being unsheathed Captain Pillsbury deemed it prudent to return to Portland

Weather reports show the cold wave to be "getting in its work" east of the mountains in a vigorous manner. The following is the latest being taken at the various points along the line of the Union Pacific yesterday morning. Bonneville 5 degrees Hood River 5 Arlington 2 Umatilla, zero Wallula zero Walla Walla 8 below Dayton 6 below Pomeroy, zero Riparia 3 below Colfax 10 below Kamela, 8 below Union 10 below La Grande 2 below North Powder 10 below Pleasant Valley, 10 below Huntington zero Heppner zero

The Upper Columbia is also having a freeze up. Ice is floating in the river and navigation will, doubtless be suspended. The Dalles boat, which was down at the Upper Cascades was ordered up yesterday morning but it is thought that the steamer can get no further up the river than Grant's point, a place about five miles below The Dalles. Just above the point mentioned the ice invariably blocks, and stops navigation.

The lower river has been forming ice also and a bitter frigid wind prevails for the greater part of the distance to Astoria. The steamer Signal came up from the bar yesterday with considerable ice hanging to her hull, and more on the decks. Later in the afternoon the Bonita arrived, and reports the ice as far down the Columbia as Martin's island. Slush ice, which is continually forming, is thick in many places but not enough to retard the steamer's speed. The thickest ice was encountered at Willow bar at which place it was about a half inch thick. The river has been kept pretty well open owing to the frequent passing of steamers which breaks the ice and keeps it moving

The cold spell is not expected to stop navigation for over a week, but whether the freeze will continue, is a question anxiously asked by many steamboat men

TRIALS OF OREGON SHERIFFS

Capturing Escaped Prisoners—The Rogue's Gallery—Poor Jails—Criminals' Friends.

Sheriff A N Hamilton of Union county was in the city yesterday. Mr Hamilton was an active member of the state sheriffs' [illegible] and was one of those who stood out strongly for Portland as the next place of meeting for the sheriffs, against Salem which place finally carried the day. He has just returned from taking two prisoners up to Salem who broke jail at Union a week ago last Monday

While at Salem Mr Hamilton looked up the important project of having the professional criminals photographed for the benefit of the officials of the state in keeping track of the criminal element. Superintendent Downing has had reluctantly enough, to give up the plan. The chief obstacle was that there was no authority to require the prisoners to submit to having their pictures taken. The matter it seems will have to be acted upon by the legislature before it is possible of enforcement. A strong pressure will be brought to bear upon the coming legislature to induce it to make an appropriation for the purpose and give the requisite authority to the superintendent of the penitentiary to require criminals to submit to having their faces put on file in the archives of the institution and published over the country

Mr Hamilton has just taken to Salem the two prisoners who escaped from the penitentiary last week, and, after a furious chase, lasting from Monday evening until Thursday morning he recovered them. In his pursuit he crossed the Grand Ronde river twenty-eight times and followed their tracks through miles of timber and snowdrifts. Mr Hamilton says this was the roughest search he ever conducted though he has recaptured prisoners in New York Denver and Little Rock Ark. One of the prisoners had a revolver, which he attempted to shoot, but it was wet and would not take fire.

The exacting work of an Oregon sheriff's office just knocks the life out of the best of them, even the youngest and hardiest," said Mr Hamilton. "The absence of any rogue's gallery or similar description of the criminal element, makes the city a very rendezvous for abandoned characters. Not only that, but they inform them all of our weak jails, and when any of their pals are incarcerated they go to his rescue. The judge in my county examined the bars of the window where these prisoners made their escape and said they had undoubtedly been assisted from outside

POOR SECURITY

"I have not seen a safe jail in the state," continued Mr Hamilton, "unless it is Multnomah's new county jail. In our jail and in others I have seen the bars are of ordinary, generally Norway iron, very susceptible to the action of saw and chisel. Then they are so far apart that, as in our case, a single bar being sawed off gives room for a 200-pound man to crawl through the aperture. I do not know a sheriff in the state but is overworked, and will be until the jails are more secure, and we are furnished a description of these professional criminals with whom all our railroad towns are overrun."

A DEED PHOTOGRAPHED

An Old Document, but One That Represents a Great Deal of Money.

Mr E W Moore, the well known photographer, yesterday took a camera up to the office of the clerk of the United States courts and made a photograph of a deed purporting to be made by Mrs. Philinda Terwilliger conveying to her daughter Julia V Terwilliger her half of the Terwilliger donation land claim south of this city. This document the United States court in the suit of Green vs. Terwilliger, ordered defendant to produce and place in the custody of the court. It is rather an insignificant looking document, but the land it conveys is now worth a great deal of money. It is written on a page from an account book and is dated, "second day of September in the year of our Lord, 1872." It is signed by Philinda Terwilliger and James Terwilliger, and witnessed by A Higgins and William Terwilliger, and the consideration named therein is $1.

The acknowledgment is written on the back of the deed but it was never acknowledged. It is not considered a good deed by the plaintiff in fact plaintiff's counsel are inclined to consider it a forgery and have had the photographic copy made to give opportunity to study the hand writings thereon. Notwithstanding that it was made eighteen years ago the deed was never placed on record

THE GLOVES AND PRIZE RING

Match Between Mike Conley and Dave Flaherty—O'Farrell Wants to Meet Rose—Other Prospective Events

Mike Conley, of Ithaca, N Y and Dave Flaherty of Chicago, met at Gunn's cigar store last evening to sign articles of agreement for a match to come off in the Mechanics pavilion March 8. They were accompanied by their backers and friends. A large representation of Portland sports were present. Conley, who has had considerable experience in the ring and in making matches, asked that a forfeit of $50 a side be put up as a guarantee that both men be in the ring on the night of the contest. The pavilion managers endorsed this proceeding and stated that they would be pleased to put up an equal amount, as they had no guarantee at any time that men matched in a contest would show up when the time arrived. Flaherty's backer, W B Faulkner agreed to the proposition, and the following articles of agreement were signed without any further parley

ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT.

PORTLAND Or Feb 26

Articles of agreement entered into the above date between Dave Flaherty, of Chicago, Ill, and Mike C Conley, of Ithaca, N Y witnesseth

The above parties agree to contest a ten round scientific glove contest in the Mechanics pavilion Portland, Or Saturday, March 8 1890 at 10 P M Marquis of Queensberry rules to govern, and the regulation California Athletic Club gloves to be used and a twenty four foot ring. The winner of said contest to receive 70 per cent and the loser 30 per cent of the net gate receipts. It is further agreed that if the referee does not arrive at a decision at the end of ten rounds he shall have power to call for additional rounds until a winner be declared. It is agreed that ——— shall act as referee and his decision shall be final

M C CONLEY,
D FLAHERTY

Witnesses A Harris, C J Whelan

O FARRELL WILLING

Pat O Farrell who sails under the colors of "champion welter weight of the United States navy" writes from Tacoma under date of February 24, that he is ready to meet F R Rose, of this city in a ten round glove contest or in a fight to a finish for $250 a side or for a purse, either in Tacoma or Portland. He says that he met Rose in Burke Idaho last April and that the latter's friends won the mill for him

Young Mitchell, of San Francisco would like to arrange a match for Billy Shannan the plucky welter weight who fought Paddy Smith recently in the Occ dental Club rooms with any 142 pound man that Portland can produce. Shannan is anxious to meet Billy Scott of Astoria, and, as the latter is ready to face anybody his weight there is a chance that a match will be made. Scott recently wanted to make a match with James Gloghan, of San Francisco

Frank Glover, the Illinois heavy weight, will be in Portland shortly and Tom Cleary, the well known middle weight, is also expected within a short time. Joe Choynski has signified his intention to return to Portland and possibly locate here. He is a plucky fighter and may make a match with some heavy weight

REVIVAL MEETINGS AT FOREST GROVE.

Great Interest Manifested—Many Have Professed a Change of Heart—Etc

The special meetings begun in the Congregational church at Forest Grove on February 2 by Rev Cephas F Clapp home missionary superintendent of Congregational churches for Oregon, were brought to a close last Sunday evening. During the three weeks in which these services were held unusual interest was manifested, and night after night the attendance increased. Nearly 200 persons signified a desire for prayers and it is known that over 100 professed a change of heart. Forty three have been already elected to membership in the Congregational church and twenty more will be elected during the present week. Eleven united with the Christian church at Forest Grove and were immersed in the Baptist church at Hillsboro through the courtesy of the officers of the latter. A number will unite with the Methodist church at the proper time

Rev Mr Spangler of the M E church is continuing the meetings in his church this week. Never before in the history of Forest Grove has there been such a religious awakening so far reaching in its effects. It has affected all classes of people, both old and young

COAST DEFENSE

Point Partridge on Whidby Island a Most Commanding Position

In the chain or system of fortifications now under consideration for coast defense Point Partridge at the west entrance of the proposed San de Fuca ship canal, occupies a commanding position. From this point the range of observation takes in the entire waters (both British and American) of the Straits of Fuca looking down the Sound, through Admiralty inlet direct line of vision from Point Partridge first intersects the beach at Point Wells a few miles north of Seattle. Reversing the position of the observer and every square foot of the beautiful San de Fuca harbor and of the Saratoga passage to the eastern shore of the Sound is completely covered. It would seem impossible to find a position of equal strength in American waters. The government has wisely retained a liberal portion of this commanding point. Although construction of the San de Fuca ship canal will be undertaken by a private company the government will naturally assume control. A great deal of public work is being planned for Whidby Island which when fairly under way, will make it a wonderfully busy locality

REFUGE HOME BOARD MEETING

The Work Progressing Very Satisfactorily—Thanks Extended to Many Kind Contributors

Notwithstanding the severe cold wind a majority of the members of the Refuge Home board were present at the regular monthly meeting held in the Home's reception room. Reports showed fourteen inmates cared for during the month ten of whom were continued from last month. Two cases of sickness were made known. One infant was taken to the Baby Home. The house committee reported that quite a quantity of clothing had been contributed in response to the appeal made last month. Five dollars was also received from an unknown donor

The board expressed a desire to extend special thanks to these kind contributors many of whom are not known

CAUSE AND EFFECT

An Eastern gentleman of an inquiring and speculative turn of mind has been in Oregon this winter, collecting materials for a volume descriptive of this region, for Eastern circulation. It was his purpose, also, to accompany the descriptive chapters of his work by scientific discussions upon the causes and effects of the natural phenomena of the coast region. To do this understandingly he called upon some old residents in quest of information. His first inquiry was directed toward the cause of the prolonged rains here. "These rains" said his informant "are due to the presence of the enormous forests which cover this section." He next inquired of another old resident as to the cause of the forests. "These great forests," was the reply "are caused by the heavy and almost incessant rains which fall here during the winter."

AN OUNCE OF PREVENTION

A lady who had occasion to go over to Albina the other day reports that the electric car across the steel bridge was stopped at the gate, the draw being open and the conductor and motor man both went into the guard house to warm. In view of the recent escapade of the electric car which crashed into the gate, becoming unmanageable, she felt afraid and concerned for her safety lest the car should run through the gate and send her down to a watery grave. The suggestion must be taken for what it is worth but a good many husbands would feel easier about their wives safety when crossing the bridge if these somewhat skittish cars were left at the end of the approach when the draw is open and not run sheer up to the verge of the open draw

Palpitation of the heart nervousness tremblings nervous headache cold hands and feet, pain in the back relieved by Carter's Little Liver Pills.

AT THE THEATERS

"Shenandoah" Greeted by a Packed House—A Purely American Play—"Our Heroes" Continues to Draw

The Marquam Grand was packed last night to witness the first production in Portland of Bronson Howard's comedy drama "Shenandoah." What may have drawn such an audience whether it was to see a war picture or to pass judgment upon a play boldly designated as an American classic, remains unanswered. That it is a play worthy, in American elements, strong in human feeling and powerful in dramatic art, was the accepted verdict of all who sat it out. To the better judgment and inflicted experience there is not much of promise in a staged war theme. War is terrible nearly as awful as the war drama. To date it has been a [illegible] of the awkward struggle of puppets and ill conditioned supers the disagreeable echoes of the resonant musket bang and the splashing waves of heroic but empty dialogue which make one feel that while he might not have been in the war he may have opportunities for suffering

But "Shenandoah" reverses all this. As a play it draws a line between a too fresh recollection and a ripe mythology. It shows what no other war play has ever shown that it is possible to dramatically and acceptably fashion many heroism even were it but lately partisan—provided the elements of love the quality of pathos and the leaven of comedy be mixed with it. In that way human nature—the same in peace as in war—may be preserved as the great theme of stage presentation. "Shenandoah" has only the atmosphere of war everything else that might blacken the picture is but suggested and that so deftly done as to be thoroughly receptive. It is suggestion rather than actual presentation set out with a master hand and artistic thought.

In the boom of the cannon which separated two hearts—the North and the South at the same time—until the ride of Sheridan the lowering colors of actual war are held back. Yet this incident stands all else in the play. It seems to offer a climax for the almost triumph of love over duty. Nothing could be finer in a dramatic sense than the little rebel, Gertrude urging her rebel horse to speed Sheridan to the front not to succor the defeated Northern army but to aid her Union lover Colonel West. It is on a par with the exclamation of West when his love making with Gertrude was interrupted by the sound of strife, and he says, "Oh, never mind that it's only a battle." In the pathetic element "Shenandoah" is extremely strong. The scene where General Haverill pays a tribute to the strong young officer, little thinking he is burying his own son is powerful in its reaching for heart strings. To the superficial the repulse at Cedar Creek and the turn of the tide may seem of high merit. For the average it will so stand but the merits of the play are deeper and more lasting than this episode. They are in the first act in laying the trains for subsequent emotions. They are in the second act in their suggestion of realism where but a single shot is fired and yet every one realizes the elemental features, if not the details of war. They are in the third act in Jenny Buckthorn's simulation of war, the bugle sound and in the last act in a series of as fine comedy scenes as ever honored any stage

These are the merits which do not call out the response of vociferous applause, but they draw every beholder with a powerful hand and earn that greatest of all tributes—the quickening breath and the moistened eye. For these reasons as a proper acknowledgment of Mr Howard's splendid work "Shenandoah" is a great play in construction mingling the playwright's best work with the dramatist's best art and resulting in the only play touching the war worthy of life for itself and fame for its author

As to the manner in which "Shenandoah" was placed before the audience too much praise can not be said. The company is clever and fully up to every demand of dialogue and situation. Geo Osbourne's General Haverill is an excellent piece of the actor's art. Frank Carlyle as Kerchival West was more than acceptable. In the lighter vein his work was exceedingly effective. Lewis Baker as Captain Heartsease showed a rare cleverness in comedy. A lighter, but wonder fully. As General Buckthorne rough, ready but kindly withal, Charles Stanley did his best work. The Sergeant Barket of C. P. Hawkins was thoroughly enjoyable. Miss Tyndale as Miss Haverill, filled most acceptably a part full of exacting demands. The other ladies of the company particularly Miss Harwell as Jenny Buckthorn made excellent impressions. Lack of space alone prevents more extended mention

The piece was staged with every attention to detail while the scenery especially in the second act was a revelation to the people of Portland. No one can appreciate the very high merit of "Shenandoah" or understand why it has achieved its unparalleled popularity without witnessing its admirable presentation

"Shenandoah" will be repeated to-night.

OUR HEROES AT THE NEW PARK

The attendance at the New Park theatre last evening was the largest of any night during the week. The leading people are doing better and more harmonious work and the play is going even with more smoothness. Company C for whose benefit the performances are given is distinguishing itself as a well drilled body of soldiers. The various movements are executed with admirable precision and the most perfect discipline is exhibited throughout

"Our Heroes" is a truly thrilling war drama with a well laid plot. It presents incidents of the late civil war and some of the scenes are particularly realistic and true to nature. While it gives scope for strong emotional acting the play is replete with amusing incidents and laughable situations that keep the audience in a state of constant expectancy. The comedy work is particularly good and evokes many a hearty laugh

The music is in keeping with the character of the play the well trained orchestra rendering all of the national airs in a most inspiring manner

The object of the benefit is to purchase dress uniforms for the company and as the boys are indefatigable in their efforts it is to be hoped that the engagement will be a success.

"Our Heroes" will remain on the boards the remainder of the week and Saturday afternoon there will be a grand matinee

CORDRAY'S THEATER MUSEE.

Notwithstanding the counter attractions "The Hidden Hand" at the Theater musee opened last night to a packed house. Miss Ysolo Tidwell as Capitola Black was the recipient of an ovation which she richly deserved. The same bill will continue through the week

THE GREAT METROPOLIS

George Tilden representing Managers Jay Rial and William Morris of the Grand opera house San Francisco, arrived in the city yesterday and is arranging for the production of "The Great Metropolis" at the Marquam opera house next Monday evening March 3.

WHAT IS IT?

The Public on the Qui Vive Regarding Freiman's New Dish to Be Served To-day

Freimann has been praised until praise of Freimann is nothing to the stranger in which he is held by the people of the city as a successful caterer. Freimann however, has the full confidence of the people and when he announced several days since that he would soon spring a new dish on his patrons all his old time friends knew at once that some bit of rich was in store for them. The name applied to the new dish is "Chal ce E Sultan" It is denoted as Oriental ort, and it is in fact the great Turkish dish, served only on rare occasions to the nobles in their palaces, and whoever visits Turkey, and is fortunate enough to partake of it is forever afterwards loud in his praise of the great Oriental delicacy. One of the big families of the city yesterday afternoon sent in an order to Freimann for a half gallon of the new VERE MECK IL CHALICE EL SULTAN ABDUL AZIS. Now Freimann wants his friends to distinctly understand that he does not sell the new dish by either the yard by the bushel or by the ton. Freimann says that this new dish in an English dinner would take the place of an entree, coming between the fish and the roast. Anyway, Freimann's patrons at his Annex to-day are promised a treat. In anticipation of the new dish he will set his lunch to-day, from 10 30 to 2 30. In addition to the regular lunch every patron of the house to-day will be served the Oriental dish and all for the sum of 25 cents, including a fine imported cigar and an artistic drink

MENU TO-DAY

SOUPS

Cream of rice puree mere — German noodle

FISH

Flounder au gratin pomme Duchesse

Codfish balls, cream sauce

Chinook salmon, maitre de hotel

ENTREES

Cramesqui of chicken a la Beckamel

Tenderloin of veal a la Jardiniere.

Hamburger steak sauce piquante

Macaroni a la Milanaise.

Salmi of Mallard duck with olives

Frankfort sausage and sour kraut.

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EAST SUBURB NEWS NOTES.

The Book Agent Nuisance Again in Full Blast on the Other Side.

To Improve Fourth Street—A Boys' Branch Organized—Encouraging Reports—He Was Thirsty—Paymaster's Arrival

A petition has been quite generally signed by resident property holders asking the council to take steps for the improvement of Fourth street, in McMillen's addition, from Holladay avenue to the Albina line. It is proposed to connect this street (Fourth) with the bridge across Montgomery's gulch, over which the electric cars pass into Albina, thus connecting Holladay avenue with Albina, and giving the adjacent property an improved street to the avenue and the railroad bridge. It will be quite an advantage to Albina, as the street on which the electric cars run is hardly passable for several blocks south of the Montgomery slough bridge

As a gentleman called at the recorder's office yesterday to ascertain if the petition had been presented to the council it may be stated it has not yet been introduced but Councilman Macmahon reported it would be introduced at the next meeting

AGENTS AND CENSUS TAKERS

Many agents for books and household articles have actually made life a burden in some parts of the city. In many cases four or five agents have gone to the same house in one day causing great loss of time to the lady and impatience to the masculines. The school census has just been taken in the districts on the east side of the Willamette and much to the annoyance and perplexity of those taking the enumeration they have often been mistaken for agents. They were actually compelled to force their way into some of the houses as the door would not be opened no matter how loudly they knocked. One of the enumerators related his experience in one case. He went to a small house and knocked gently at first as he knew there was some one at home. No one came and he knocked louder but still no one came. It was cold and he was out of patience and the next time he knocked the house shook to its foundation. In a flash the door was opened and he was confronted by an irate woman, who yelled "Do you want to knock the house down? I don't want any of your books." "I'm no book agent," answered the census taker. "I want to know how many kids you've got"

BOYS BRANCH

A boys' branch of the Y M C A has been organized with thirty members. The object of this branch is to furnish them with innocent amusement that will elevate their minds. A great many boys roam the streets at night and indulge in degrading frivolity. The work of this branch is to educate them to enjoy a better class of amusement. Lectures will be given Saturday night that will interest them. Last Saturday night Mr J M Batchelor gave them a talk on Greece. In imagination he took them on a trip to Greece from Portland, describing the countries through which they pass. Arriving at Greece he gave them a pleasant talk on its people and their manners. He illustrated his talk by maps and charts. Other talks of a similar character will be given. Rules governing the branch will be adopted prescribing certain restraints for the boys

STREET RAILWAYS.

Both the ties and the iron for the electric railway loop from Williams street bridge and Third street McMillen's addition have been distributed and part of the grave[illegible] The line will run from Williams street on B to Third street connecting with the line on Third. When this loop is finished one may take the electric car at the railroad bridge ride through Albina and return by way of Williams and Third street to the starting point

The party who are asking for a street railway franchise on Ninth and I streets say they will build the proposed line as soon as they secure the franchise and desire to build the first work on I street as soon as possible. The William the Bridge Railway Company have a franchise on B street which must be completed by July

DRAIN ARE NECESSARY

It will be necessary to drain the water from Sullivan's gulch on both sides of the railroad embankment. Unless this is done, the water will become stagnant. The only way to effect drainage is by cutting deep trenches. City Attorney Beach is now endeavoring to find out whether or not the railroad company can be required to do the work. The Union Pacific Co's embankment [illegible] the [illegible] the Southern Pacific [illegible] on Second street prevents the water from escaping from the main part of the gulch. The city has not been very successful in getting the railroad companies to do anything, and it may fail in this case

MINOR HAPPENINGS

A W Dalsch is at the Riverside waiting to hear from B P Kyle

Repairs are being made to Duniway & Co's lumber docks at the foot of J street. The piling along the outside swept away during the high water are being replaced

The street cars will continue making trips until 11 ½ at night and the motor will continue running until 11 30 for the accommodation of those attending theaters in Portland

The common council is giving notice for the improvement of Fourth street north from the North Fourth street bridge to the Albina line thus connecting with Margaretta avenue

The annual election of officers of the stockholders of the Baby home has been deferred until Monday evening March 3l when it will give all interested parties an opportunity to attend

The annual reports of the school clerk and directors which will be submitted to the annual meeting Monday night, will set forth the financial condition of the district. It is very probable that notwithstanding the improvements to be made the tax levy will not be above 5 mills

There was rejoicing at the car shops yesterday as the paymaster of the Southern Pacific, who came up from San Francisco went up there with cash to pay them off. The paymaster was here December 12th but has been unable to reach the city by train on account of the blockade. He came by steamer

The Fifth street bridge across Sullivan's gulch has settled a little more at the railroad embankment and the reason nothing has been done to repair it is because the city attorney has been unable to come to an understanding with the railroad company. The sole trouble is that the embankment is settling

A wood hauler rushed into a Fourth street saloon the other day and ordered refreshments. A glass and a bottle of whisky were put out before him. He filled the glass to the brim with the whisky and then ordered a schooner of beer. He drank the whisky down at one gulp and then sent the schooner of beer after it. Evidently he wanted something to warm him up

HEROES OF THE DARK CONTINENT

Specimen pages of a new book with the above title are furnished and agents are canvassing for orders. It is to be a complete history of all the great explorations and discoveries in Africa, from the earliest ages to the present time, including a full and authentic account of Stanley's famous relief of Emin Pasha. The book will extend to 700 large pages, and will cover the whole history of African discovery and exploration. It will be profusely illustrated, and will contain an ample account of the characters and careers of the great travelers hunters and explorers, who, during more than 1000 years have made Africa a land of wonders. The book is written by J W Buel, who possesses special qualifications for such a work and is to be published by the History Company of San Francisco. John P Moore 1 8 Morrison street is the only authorized agent for Portland and orders for the book will be taken by him

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SALES OF REAL ESTATE.

List of Deeds Filed for Record in the Recorder's Office Yesterday

Yesterday 6 deeds aggregating $517 were filed making the total number of deeds filed since the first of the month 2[illegible] value of the transactions, $55?,29[illegible]

Since January 1 to date there have been filed 6[illegible] deeds aggregating $1 93 33 40

DEEDS RECORDED FEBRUARY 26

E J Haugh and wife to Joseph Richardson lots 11 and 12, blk 2, Naegly Highland Feb 21 $575

C P Hogue and wife to C R Smith, lot 8, blk 4 Albina add Feb 24 $450

G J [illegible] to Mrs I McColl, 12 acres, sec 17, 1 S, 2 E Jan [illegible] $1

J Sp[illegible] and wife to F C Owen, lot 46 Melrose, Jan 10 $ [illegible]

R F Swain and wife to L Thomson lot 2 and part of lot 1 blk 7 Albina, Feb 21 $3420

C H Lewis and wife to Ellen Gaffney, lots 6 and 7, blk 1[illegible]6 Couch add Feb 26 $1

BOND FOR DEED

Alex Thomas to J J Burtis lots 1 to 5, blk 10, Santa Rosa park Feb 26 $1 00

John Wolf and wife to A fred T Webb parcel of land at E [illegible] and N streets City, Feb 26 $ [illegible]

John Wolf and wife to The Public, a strip of land 0 feet wide by 2[illegible] feet long, Fifteenth and N streets City Feb 26 $1

THEY WORE RED FEZ CAPS

Passing down Front street yesterday a reporter noticed through the window of the Knapp Burrell Company's office a number of men in red fez caps such as are worn by Turks infidels and true believers in Stamboul and the regions round about. Thinking that perhaps Hon Sol Hirsch had sent over a delegation of missionaries or something of the sort the reporter rushed in and was astonished to find Mr R. S. Wade and the whole force of book keepers adorned with the store man's [illegible] flaring blood red headgear. On inquiry it was ascertained that Mr R. B Knapp during his visit to Constantinople had purchased a lot of fez caps and presented them to the force in the office who were wearing them and striving to keep them on. One fellow was trying to post books sitting cross legged on the desk and Mr Wade was [illegible] tossing his slippers before the grate [illegible] a pipe, humming

For I haven't a penny to my name
I was never a gay of the Ladies
But I'll make a most illegant Turk,
For I'm fond of tobacco and ladies"

The whole party as they flew around attending to business put one in mind of a flock of red headed woodpeckers changed by some magician into human beings

ANACORTES PROPERTY

It may be well to inform the general public that the Oregon Improvement Company of Anacortes, with an office at Seattle, room 5 the Boston block have the very best property for sale in that rapidly growing place. Thousands of dollars have been made in the town during the past three months and the excitement there has only just commenced. Write to the Oregon Improvement Company for maps and price lists

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